

Tewksbury Public Library announces... Community Wide Yard Sale

TEWKSBURY - A community-wide Yard Sale will be held on the grounds of the Tewksbury Public Library at the corner of Main Street and Chandler Street, on Saturday, July 8th, from 9:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Rain date for this event is Saturday, July 15th.

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Space is available for individuals and crafters are welcome too! Publicity and signs are being taken care of, so gather up the "treasures" around your house and come join the fun! The prominent location should guarantee lots of bargain-hunters.

Applications are available at the public library, and can also be downloaded from the library's web-page, at www.tewksburypl.org. The non-refundable fee to participate is \$25 for a 10 ft. X 10 ft. space. Tables, chairs and protection from the elements are the responsibility of the exhibitor. Call the public library at 978.640.4490 for more information.

Simultaneous with the Yard Sale, there will be a used book sale inside the public library's first floor meeting room. This will be the last book sale until the fall. In addition to used books, there will be videos, books on tape,

and music CD's at the sale.

Library staff members have prepared special gift baskets that will be raffled off during the day, and the Friends of the Library will offer refreshments throughout the day.

This event is sponsored by the Friends of the Library and the Library Trustees.

Proceeds from this event will be used to fund scholarships for graduating high school seniors. The scholarships are intended to reinforce the public library's commitment to education and to the community. The first scholarship will be presented in May, 2007.

The public library's web page, www.tewksburypl.org, is updated on a regular basis and contains a wealth of information. Check out the site for holiday closing schedules, changes in hours of operation, news of upcoming events and other services.

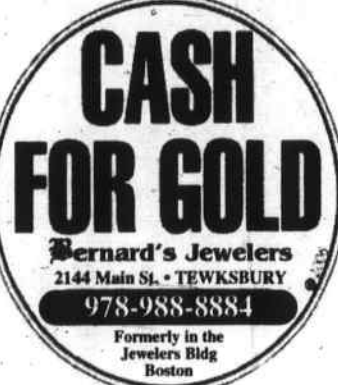


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Quick Health Tips

by Dr. Leslee Quick

Sun, Skin & Sunscreen



O.K. So it hasn't been the sunniest of summers as of yet. I just keep hoping that it means that July and August will be spectacular. One can hope right?

But with the sun comes the tans, sunburns and sunscreens...aging and skin cancer. Hey, I admittedly indulged during my younger years and am seeing the damage now. Given the voracity of sunscreen use the statistics should be better, but in fact, aren't pretty. My husband spoke recently with a local dermatologist that has seen skyrocketing numbers of skin cancer in young adults as early as 20. No, the numbers aren't pretty. But neither are many of our choices. I'm here to give you some more natural alternatives and keep you chemical savvy.

In order to best understand how the body creates a suntan it is important to understand how the skin works.

Your skin is an organ, made up of specifically made cells. Our skin is our boundary from the outside world, made up of two primary layers: the epidermis or outside layer, and the inside dermis.

The epidermis is the tough layer consisting of dead skin cells that are constantly sloughing off and being replaced by newer cells from underneath. It is within this layer that melanocytes create the pigment melanin - the source of the tan. When the sun's rays hit the skin, the melanocytes produce the pigment in reaction to the ultraviolet rays to absorb them.

Not only do melanocytes produce a tan, they are also responsible for the form of skin cancer called melanoma. Melanoma is caused by UV radiation damage to melanocytes. Repeated exposure to UV can cause cancerous mutations of the melanocytes.

Now onto the other component of the tan...the sun. The sun's light on earth has three forms: infrared, visible and ultraviolet light. The ultraviolet light - UV - has three subcategories depending upon their wavelength in the light spectrum, including UVA, UVB and UVC. UVC rays are filtered out in the atmosphere and do not reach us. Get back to me in 50 years and that may change.

Most of our sun's rays are of the UVA type. However, it is the UVB rays that cause most of our problems related to

aging and cancer.

So now we know a little about the sun's rays and our skin. But what about our sunscreens that we so generously apply.

Sunscreens work in two ways, either by physically blocking the ultraviolet light or through chemical absorption. Chemical sunscreens work by absorbing the UV rays that hit them, thereby absorbing the radiation. Physical sunscreens, on the other hand, work by reflecting and/or scattering UV rays and radiation, without absorbing them.

Physical blocking agents include Titanium Dioxide and Zinc oxide, both of which provide UVA and UVB protection.

Chemical absorbing agents include Avobenzone, cinnamates, octocrylene, oxybenzone, Para-aminobenzoic acid (PABA), octyl demethyl paba and salicylates.

Unfortunately, as more and more studies are being conducted, we're finding that sunscreens may not be all they are "cracked up" to be. Numerous studies are proving that sunscreens aren't lessening the likelihood of developing skin cancer.

Playing devil's advocate, the above findings could be likened to the advent of the filter and "light" version of cigarettes, both of which prompted people to smoke more. Sunscreens may give people a false sense of security so they stay out in the sun for longer periods.

In addition, many of the chemicals in sunscreens have their own set of defects, including: generating free radicals, which can be cancer-causing themselves; possible toxicity; and strong estrogenic hormonal activity.

In recent studies the estrogenic chemicals have been found to show gender changes in fish. You know when you go for a swim and you can see the fish leave in the water? High amounts of these chemicals are being found in local fish. Now, we're not fish, however, these chemicals can create reproductive issues and have been found to transfer into mother's breast milk.

The mineral compound Titanium dioxide has been studied to reflect about thirty percent of the harmful rays and actually absorb the remainder into the tissues. So, in such cases I would opt for the safer zinc oxide mineral compound.

The U.S. government's National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) labels Titanium dioxide "a potential occupational carcinogen." Within aqueous solution, this compound was found to actually absorb and bind onto DNA, changing it.

Therefore, it makes sense to choose products free of these chemicals until more research has been completed into possible long-term effects in humans and wildlife.

And let's not forget, we do need a little sunlight. It provides an important role in enhancing our feelings of serenity, happiness, as well as provides the body with the natural precursor to vitamin D.

There are more natural sunscreens available on the market today. You may just have to search a little harder to find them, either at your nature food store or online.

And even those should be scanned thoroughly for their ingredients. Because they are more natural, these products tend to be pricier. But if you're looking to reason the expenditure, look at this way: the future health of yourself and your children are important enough to dish out a few more dollars. The one that I just found, UV Natural, uses zinc oxide and no harmful chemicals. So far I've only found it online. Whole Foods carries it but only in California so you need to harass your local merchant if you want it carried locally. I have ordered it online.

As always, use your own judgment as to what works best for you. I'm just giving you some good information to chew on to be a more informed, health conscious consumer.

Know your ingredients and take heed about what you are placing on and in your body. The pull of a strong marketing campaign is powerful to the public's opinion, especially when western medicine is behind it. Remember, at one time physicians were endorsing Lucky Strike cigarettes and were even used in advertisements reinforcing their safety. I have the distinct feeling that over the next decade we will continue to see changes being made in the sunscreen you now wear.

Here's to your health...naturally.



Megan Cunningham, age 4, gave it her all during Tewksbury's 4th of July sack race event held at the Livingston Street Recreational Center.

Photo by Maureen Lamoureux



Jim Buckley, Wilmington's 1996 Good Guy joined with Rachel Guerriero to portray Uncle Sam and Betsy Ross during Wilmington's 4th of July celebrations.

Photo by Maureen Lamoureux



Everything's a Story

by Andrea MacMullin

I remember a saying that one of the

wishes a parent has for their children is to do better than they had. It is the hope that each generation does better than the last. I can only assume this means better financially. As I raise my own children and see the society I am bringing them up in, I think about that, and wonder about the generations to come. What more can we expect for them?

My children are lucky enough to have both sets of grandparents tell them stories of their own childhood. They listen with amazement, completely in awe at the remarkable stories that seem unbelievable; something you would read in a story, or even make-believe.

Their Grandpa in Minnesota recently told them the day when he was a little boy, about the same age as my son, the first night they had electricity in the house. What a time it was - imagine, turning a switch and having light in the house, even at night. It was momentous.

I started to question what sort of legacy was I giving my children to tell their grandchildren?

"When I was a young boy, I can remember there was this one time when a treacherous

snowstorm came, at least 15" inches fell, and our electricity was out for almost a whole day. We had to wear extra sweaters in the house, light candles, and since we couldn't cook, we could only eat cereal and milk. I couldn't watch TV for hours. It was tough times, but we got through it."

Society is different than it was decades ago. It seems families are living more affluent lifestyles. Growing up there was always the "one" family who you thought was rich. They had a pool, and they even went to Disney World one year for a vacation. Now they were really rich.

Today, if you at least don't know someone with a pool, or haven't been to the most "magical place on Earth" before the age of 10 at least twice, you are in the minority, and living a very underprivileged life.

I can't help but wonder if this generation will suffer because we have given them everything before they have had a chance to know what is to want for something, or to learn what is they do want, before it just appears before them.

Last week I was driving down a side street and a group of young teenagers were walking on the sidewalk. One of the young boys jumped

out onto the street, dodged a bit in front of my car, and hopped back up onto the sidewalk.

He of course did this to scare me, which he did, and he did it to show off in front of his friends. This I understand. This is what teenagers do.

I rolled down my window, and tried to relay the foolishness of such a prank, and how a split second decision could turn into a tragic mistake. This is what adults do.

What should come next is the teenager should, at most, sheepishly roll his eyes and look down at his shoes in humiliation. He should not shout the foulest of words followed by "@#%*& *% lady!"

I can only hope that this kid

is not the result of overindulgence.

Luckily for me, the kids I know are polite, kind, and would never think of disrespectful behavior like I witnessed.

In the next generations to come, if they progress like they have, our grandchildren will have opportunities like we will never imagine. It is my hope, and my wish that these children will grow up to have more.

More respect. More humiliation. More gratefulness. More generosity. More tolerance.

Maybe that is what our parents and grandparents meant for us to have too.

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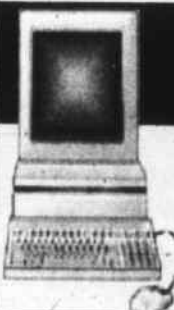
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Tewksbury Public Schools System Wide Goals 2006-2007

By Dr. Christine McGrath
Tewksbury Schools
Superintendent

These System Wide goals were established by the Tewksbury School Committee and the Administrative Council on June 14, 2006 during their 14th Annual joint Year-end Retreat. These goals represent the fifth and final year work on our current five-year strategic plan. The goals support the implementation of action plans across the four areas of our strategic plan. These areas include curriculum and instruction, school and community, school resources and program improvement.

The goals in our primary area of curriculum and instruction focus on the development of a system wide scoring rubric for the evaluation of student work and the vertical alignment of our curriculum. In addition we will assess students reading skills as they transition from the K-4 elementary schools to the John F. Ryan School and from the Ryan School to the John W. Wynn School. We will develop a multi-year master calendar for the work of our subject area review committees and we will implement a new math initiative at the Ryan and the Wynn Schools through the AIMS Program. We will also align the TERC elementary applied math curriculum with the math textbook units. We will continue to research elementary phonics programs and we will assess the effectiveness of the new DIBELS Program in relation to the adoption of a new phonics program.

Initiatives in the area of school and community will include the continued linkage between the goals on the district strategic plan with the respective school improvement plans. This linkage will provide for a well-coordinated effort in achieving all 2006-2007 goals. We will install student support boxes to monitor the level of student need for support and intervention.

The district security team will

continue to conduct simulation drills to insure student safety in the event of a critical incident. The school department will work with the Tewksbury CARES group on the review of the data from their recent survey of youth risk behaviors and we will work with the CARE group to address the identified needs.

Our work in the area of school resources will focus on the installation of the new computer technology and furniture at Tewksbury Memorial High School. This technology and furniture were purchased through the favorable vote of the residents during the June 10th debt exclusion ballot question. The technology will include new computers, two mobile labs and interactive boards. We will transfer all outdated but useable computer equipment from the high school to the Ryan and the other elementary schools. In addition we will continue to work with the Long Term School Space Study Committee to apply for funding through the Massachusetts School Building Authority and to plan for the best use of all school facilities in the future.

In the area of program improvement we will develop a new five year strategic plan for the school district and we will continue to prepare for the anticipated Educational Quality Audit, and respond to the recommendations in the evaluation reports from the Mid-cycle Coordinated Program Review and the Report from the New England Association of Schools and Colleges.

We look forward to meeting these goals and continuing to provide our students with a high quality education. We are pleased to share these goals with the community and we thank you for your support.

Copies of this plan may be obtained by calling the Office of the Superintendent of Schools at 978-640-7800 or on our web site: www.mec.edu/tewksbury/

Local students graduate from Johnson & Wales University

PROVIDENCE, RI (Grassroots Newswire)

Johnson & Wales University, America's Career University®, held May commencement ceremonies across the country. Nationwide, a total of 8,700 undergraduate degrees, 498 graduate degrees, and 17 honorary doctorate degrees were awarded. The following local students graduated at the Providence Campus ceremony:

- Jacqueline Spry of Wilmington received an Associate degree in Advertising/Communications, from the College of Business.
- Shana Wagner of

Wilmington received a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting, from the College of Business.

- Jesse Plouffe of Wilmington received a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering Design & Configuration Mgmt, from the School of Technology.

- Catherine Murphy of Wilmington received a Bachelor of Science degree in Marketing Communications, from the College of Business.

Raval named to Dean's List at Emmanuel College

Boston, MA.- June 7, 2006 Emmanuel College in Boston recently announced that Forum M. Raval of Wilmington (01887), was named to the Dean's List for the spring 2006 semester. Students earning a grade point average of 3.5 or higher are awarded the distinction of Dean's List.

Local student graduates from Clark University

Worcester, MA.- June 29, 2006- Local student Anthony Reyes Ong of Wilmington, a graduate of University of Mass/Amherst with a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science degree, has recently graduated

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Kristina Yaing

Framingham State College announces Spring 2006 graduates

Framingham State College held its 2006 Commencement on Sunday, May 28, 2006. The ceremony took place on Framingham Village Green in Framingham Centre, beginning at 2:00 p.m. Interim President Philip M. Doohar welcomed all and greetings were extended to those present by Mary Elizabeth Heffernan, Esq., Chair of the Framingham State College Board of Trustees. Four hundred and fifty-five students received the degree of Master of Arts, Master of Education, or Master of Science, and six hundred and ninety-two students graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, or

Bachelor of Science in Education.

Framingham State College, founded in 1339 by Horace Mann, is the oldest public college for the education of teachers in the United States. It is a comprehensive four-year college with approximately 5,900 students enrolled in undergraduate day, continuing education and graduate programs.

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology Colleen R. Duggan of Wilmington.

Bachelor of Arts in Sociology Allyson L. Drucker of Tewksbury.

Master of Arts in Mental Health Counseling Paul J. Mahoney II of Wilmington.

Framingham State Dean's List and President's List

The following students were named to the Dean's List and President's list for the spring 2006 semester at Framingham State College.

To be selected to the Dean's List, a student must earn a Quality Point Average (Q.P.A.) of 3.25 or higher.

Dean's List:

Michael Williams
Brad Petrishen
Christina Tocci
Gabriella Maglione
Ashley McGrath
Jillian Stira
Teresa Hsu
Emily Largenton

To be selected for the President's List, a student must have been named to the Dean's List for three consecutive semesters.

President's List:

Brad Petrishen
Teresa Hsu

Shanker named to Dean's List at Westfield State College

Westfield State College - Ilana Shanker of Tewksbury was recently named to Dean's List at Westfield State College. Ilana is majoring in Education.

Tewksbury Youth Wins B.C. High School Excellence Awards

Brian R. Kilfoyle of Tewksbury, a 2006 graduate of Boston College High School, recently won special awards at Senior Class Night, an evening set aside to celebrate and reward its seniors.

Kilfoyle won an Excellence award in Two Subjects: Fine Arts Seminar and European History, naming him best in both classes.

Boston University graduates Tewksbury residents

BOSTON - Boston University awarded academic degrees to 5,487 students this spring.

Among the graduates were Tewksbury residents Patricia A. Bechtol, M.S. in Computer Science; Stephen B. Mangan, B.S. in Management Studies, summa cum laude; Melissa Prato, B.A. in Psychology; Nicole S. Venuti, M.A. in Psychology.

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June 21	Pillowcase Giveaway	August 2	Portable Chair Giveaway
June 22	Wilton Veras Bobble Head	August 3	Hanley Ramirez Bobble Head
June 26	Bret Saberhagen Bobble Head	August 7	Law Enforcement Night/Alumni Stadium Model
June 27	Rally Towel Giveaway	August 8	Australian Night
June 28	Baseball Giveaway	August 9	T-Shirt Giveaway
June 29	T-Shirt Giveaway (Adults)	August 10	Notebook Giveaway
June 30	Beach Towel Giveaway	August 11	Revenge of the Nerds Night w/Myron Noodelman
July 1	Yard Sign Giveaway	August 17	Jonathan Papelbon Bobble Head
July 12	Baseball Hat Giveaway	August 18	Home Improvement Night
July 13	Adam Everett Bobble Head	August 19	Stopwatch Giveaway
July 14	NASCAR Night	August 20	10th Anniversary Rehab Card Set Giveaway/Birth Night Reunion
July 18	Pepsi VideoBoard-Replica Picture Frame Giveaway	August 21	Luis Alicea Bobble Head
July 19	Ramon Martinez Bobble Head	August 26	AT FENWAY
July 20	Time Capsule Night	August 27	Kids Camo Hat Giveaway
July 25	10th Anniversary Lapel Pin Giveaway	August 30	Uncut Card Sheet Giveaway/Royal Caribbean Cruise
July 26	Freddy Sanchez Bobble Head	August 31	Keith Foulke Bobble Head
July 27	Big Dig Night	Sept. 1	Boston Red Sox Night/Jersey off the Back
July 28	10th Anniversary Card Set Giveaway		
July 29	Kids Hat Giveaway		

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Letters to the editor

Thank you to the Tewksbury Firefighters

Dear editor,
This letter is to publicly thank the firefighters at the South Street Station in Tewksbury for being so very nice to me on Tuesday, June 20th. I was having serious problems with my car and just managed to pull into their parking area. Soon, one of the three men on duty came out to see if he could help.

He invited me into the sta-

tion so I could be comfortable while waiting for the tow truck and a ride home.

These three men were so kind. The people of Tewksbury can be proud to have them representing the town as firefighters.

It's reassuring to us seniors when the younger generation shows such respect and kindness.

Marguerite Little
Wilmington

Tewksbury residents to participate in Pan Mass Challenge

TEWKSBURY, MA. -

On August 5 and 6, nine local residents will ride in the Pan-Massachusetts Challenge (PMC), the nation's original bike-a-thon for charity that today raises more money than any other athletic fundraising event in the country. They will be among the more than 4,500 cyclists who will ride in the 27th annual event with the collective goal of raising \$24 million for life-saving cancer research and treatment.

Dana-Farber Cancer Institute through its Jimmy Fund. PMC cyclists range in age from 15 to 80. Some will be on their inaugural ride and others will be trained tri-athletes. More than 200 PMC cyclists are cancer survivors. Thousands of cyclists ride to remember loved ones lost to the disease or in honor of those in treatment. After PMC weekend these individual cyclists become one family.

"Unfortunately, everyone has a connection to cancer in some way," says Billy Starr, PMC founder and executive director. "The PMC is one weekend a year when people work in harmony toward a collective goal - a cancer-free world."

As they travel across Massachusetts, PMC cyclists are inspired by thousands of appreciative onlookers waving signs and cheering, "Thank you!" The PMC spirit is defined in the bonds that PMC cyclists and the more than 2,200 PMC volunteers form over one great summer weekend that remain through the years and decades. The camaraderie shared by cyclists, volunteers, and sup-

porters is one of the reasons cyclists from 30 states and six countries return to ride in the PMC each August.

The PMC has donated more than \$145 million to the Jimmy Fund since its 1980 inception. Last year, the PMC gave 99 cents of every rider-raised dollar directly to the Jimmy Fund, a rate of fundraising efficiency that is nearly unequalled within the \$1 billion athletic fundraising event industry.

The PMC offers cyclists eight routes that range from 70 to 192 miles over one or two days through 46 scenic Massachusetts towns. Two-day rides include the original 192-mile Sturbridge to Provincetown route; the 180-mile Sturbridge - Bourne - Wellesley route; and the 163-mile Wellesley - Bourne - Provincetown route. One-day riders cycle the 111-mile Sturbridge - Bourne route; the 84-mile Wellesley - Bourne route; the 70-mile Wellesley - Sturbridge route; or the 70-mile Sturbridge - Wellesley route.

Cyclists must raise \$1,300 to \$3,300 to ride in the PMC, depending on the chosen route, yet the average PMC cyclist raises \$5,700. This commitment to the fundraising portion of the PMC journey is a testament to riders' dedication to the cause and their belief in the PMC mission.

To become a volunteer, a virtual rider, or make a financial contribution to a rider from your town, visit www.pmc.org or call (800) WE-CYCLE. Checks can be made payable to PMC, 77 Fourth Ave., Needham, MA 02494.

Andover man held on \$25,000 bail in Tewksbury motor vehicle homicide

LOWELL - An Andover man was arraigned this morning in Lowell District Court in connection with a fatal motor vehicle collision on Friday evening that took the life of Anthony Raucci, age 43, of Methuen. Ki Yong O, age 35, was charged with motor vehicle homicide, negligent operation of a motor vehicle, operating under the influence, and a marked lanes violation.

On Friday, June 30, 2006, at approximately 9:45 p.m., Massachusetts State Police and EMS responded to multiple cell phone calls reporting erratic operation of a late model Audi Wagon on Route 1-93 North in Tewksbury. Callers also reported that the

erratic operator had struck a vehicle on the right side of the road, and had possibly struck a pedestrian. According to authorities, vehicles belonging to Raucci and his wife, Elena Raucci, were pulled off of the highway and into the breakdown lane. Ki Yong O, driving the reported erratic vehicle, allegedly drove his vehicle off of the road and struck Elena Raucci's vehicle, then struck Anthony Raucci as he attempted to change the rear passenger tire of his vehicle. Anthony Raucci was pronounced dead at the scene. His wife and son, both also at the scene, were not injured.

Ki Yong O was transported to Saints Memorial Hospital to be treated for minor

injuries. Upon further investigation, authorities believe at this time that O was under the influence of prescription drugs at the time of the collision. He was placed under arrest at the hospital, without incident, and transported to State Police Barracks in Andover.

Ki Yong O was arraigned this morning in Lowell District Court. He pled not guilty and was ordered held on \$25,000 bail. He is due back in court for a pre-trial hearing on August 25, 2006. Assistant District Attorney Jacqueline Shanahan represented the Commonwealth at Monday morning's arraignment.

Raytheon receives two honors as environmental stewards for conservation efforts

TEWKSBURY - Raytheon Integrated Defense Systems (IDS) has received two honors in recognition of success in energy conservation and environmental stewardship.

Raytheon IDS received a Best Practices Award from the Northeast Energy Efficiency Partnership (NEEP) for its work in energy efficiency and the International Facilities Management Association's (IFMA) Award of Excellence.

"These awards are important

to the company because they recognize that we are practicing sound environmental principles while getting business results," said Raytheon IDS Vice President of Operations Dan Ryan. "We are committed to being good environment stewards because it is the right thing to do for ourselves, for our communities, and future generations."

The IFMA Award recognized the new Raytheon Energy Conservation for a Competitive

Advantage program, which promotes employee education and awareness about energy conservation. As part of the program, the company is reducing electricity use by 10 percent this year. The company had achieved 60 percent of that goal as of May.

Integrated Defense Systems is Raytheon's leader in Joint Battlespace Integration providing affordable, integrated solutions to a strong international and domestic customer base,

including the U.S. Missile Defense Agency and the U.S. armed forces.

Raytheon Company (NYSE: RTN), with 2005 sales of \$21.9 billion, is an industry leader in defense and government electronics, space, information technology, technical services, and business and special mission aircraft. With headquarters in Waltham, Mass., Raytheon employs 80,000 people worldwide.



With his trusty roll of toilet paper, Nick Cimaglia captained the Local Heroes entry in Wilmington's traditional Hospital Bed Race. The team finished 2nd in Friday night's race.

Photo by Maureen Lamoureux



Synergy fitness just completed its second fat loss contest, held at Workd Gym in Tewksbury. A total of 75 entries, male and female, participated. As a whole, a total of over 1,755 pounds were lost during the span of the contest. Pictured above, Arthur Larocque, Matt Dolan, 1st place women: Denise Vazza, 2nd place: Pamela Downs, Dave Carelli accepting for 2nd place men: Robert Depesa (not in photo), 1st place men: David Froment, Anthony DeRosa

Photo by www.chinappi.com



Tewksbury Police Log

Monday, June 26
10:23 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 2 Main Street.

11:42 a.m. The tires of a vehicle parked at a residence on Wayside Road were slashed maliciously.

2:56 p.m. An assault reportedly occurred at the Mobil gas station at 940 Andover Street.

5:57 p.m. A vehicle parked at Stadium Plaza at 10 Main Street was burglarized sometime over the weekend.

Tuesday, June 27
7:09 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 944 East Street.

10:29 a.m. Malicious damage to property was reported by a resident of Wayside Road.

5:21 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 953 Andover Street.

6:55 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 1310 Main Street.

8:19 p.m. Police responded to a call of several individuals with a handgun in the parking lot of McDonalds at 1915 Andover Street. The three men were engaged in a sale of the weapon and were advised to conduct the sale at the police station.

Wednesday, June 28
2:11 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Marshall Street.

4:28 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 467 Pleasant Street.

5:03 p.m. A residential mail-

box on Pomfret Road was smashed maliciously.

6:32 p.m. Police assisted in removing an unwanted person from a residence on Chandler Street.

7:26 p.m. A vehicle parked at Applebees at 85 Main Street was burglarized.

9:40 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on South Street.

Thursday, June 29
12:00 midnight. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on County Road.

2:23 a.m. A caller reported seeing three males breaking into vehicles on Archstone Avenue. Officers apprehended the suspects.

3:53 a.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at the Caswell Motel at 450 Main Street.

10:09 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the Stadium Plaza parking lot at 10 Main Street.

6:02 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Ellis Avenue.

10:06 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 1699 Shawsheen Street.

William Osborn, 37, of Tewksbury, was arrested and charged with domestic assault and battery and intimidating a witness.

Luis Nieves, 28, of Lawrence, was arrested and charged with the unlicensed operation of a motor vehicle and failing to stop for a police officer.

Friday, June 30

3:11 p.m. Malicious damage to property was reported by a resident of DeCarolis Drive.

3:35 p.m. A hit-and-run motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 85 Main Street.

4:58 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 1290 Main Street.

5:33 p.m. A resident of Old Boston Road reported that his home had been burglarized at some point the previous week.

5:56 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on 75 Vermont Lane.

7:25 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Shawsheen Street.

7:42 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Claire Street.

Saturday, July 1
2:17 a.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance in a guest room of the Holiday Inn at 4 Highwood Drive.

5:40 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Juniper Lane.

Musa Fadika, 36, of Lawrence, was arrested at the scene and was charged with domestic assault and battery.

Sunday, July 2
9:57 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred on Cinnamon Circle.

11:47 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred on Clark Road.

7:01 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 401 Main Street.



Wilmington Police Log

Monday, June 26

8:05 a.m.

A window of a home on Gowing Road was maliciously broken by a paintball sometime overnight.

9:20 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred at the intersection of Middlesex Avenue and High Street.

10:49 a.m. Malicious damage to property was reported by a resident of Fiorenza Drive.

7:39 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 1 Grant Street.

Doreen McGloughlin, 42, of Tewksbury, was stopped by police in the vicinity of 165 Main Street and was issued a summons for operating a motor vehicle with a suspended driver's license and failing to obey pavement markings.

Nicholas Johnstone, 23, of Billerica, was stopped by police in the vicinity of 45 Church Street and was issued a summons for operating a motor vehicle with a suspended driver's license.

Tuesday, June 27
1:41 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 1 Sparhawk Drive.

5:52 p.m. A caller reported being robbed by force by three individuals in the vicinity of 3 Church Street. Following an investigation, police detectives determined that it was a matter of a drug deal gone bad.

5:54 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Taft Road.

6:46 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic distur-

bance at a residence on Faulkner Avenue.

Timothy Brady, 18, of Wilmington, was arrested in the vicinity of 5 Christine Drive and was charged with breaking and entering a residence during daytime hours.

Wednesday, June 28
12:50 a.m. A residential mailbox on Mink Run Road was damaged maliciously.

11:51 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred at the intersection of Lowell Street and Parker Street.

6:21 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 76 Glen Road.

7:55 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 140 Middlesex Avenue.

Thursday, June 29

8:33 a.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 2 Progress Way.

9:06 a.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Allen Park Drive.

8:29 p.m. Police responded to a report of a fight involving several youths occurring at the carnival at 159 Church Street. One of the youths was cut by a knife and was transported to Winchester Hospital for treatment.

9:42 p.m. A small amount of a Class D substance was confiscated from two youths in the vicinity of the Buzzell Senior Center at 15 School Street.

10:31 p.m. Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Main Street.

Friday, June 30
12:58 a.m. A motor vehicle-

related accident occurred in the vicinity of 1 Glendale Circle.

Saturday, July 1
1:57 p.m. Malicious damage to property was reported by a resident of Faulkner Avenue.

2:13 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 150 Middlesex Avenue.

10:22 p.m. A hit-and-run motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 120 Middlesex Avenue.

Richard Stewart, 20, of 5 Pomeroy Road in North Reading, was arrested in the vicinity of 105 Middlesex Avenue and was charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol and failing to stay within marked lanes of travel.

Nicholas Provitola, 26, of Wilmington, was arrested in the vicinity of 712 Woburn Street and was charged with domestic assault and battery.

Sunday, July 2

9:38 a.m. An assault and battery between a jogger and a resident of High Street was reported.

11:48 a.m. A residential mailbox on Shawsheen Avenue was damaged maliciously.

10:17 p.m. A motor vehicle-related accident occurred in the vicinity of 42 Adams Street.

Timothy Johnson, 35, of 149 Swanton Street in Winchester, was arrested in the vicinity of 730 Main Street and was charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol.

Free weight management seminar in Wilmington

Are you ready to get into shape this summer? Would you like to learn how to lose weight and, more importantly, how to keep it off? There is still time to see results before the end of summer. Wilmington Family Chiropractic will be hosting a free seminar on Wednesday, July 12th to share information about a new approach to weight loss. Come learn why some of the most commonly used dieting methods don't work, and, why a complete lifestyle approach that focuses on how your body reacts to specific foods is more effective. This pro-

gram was designed by Dr. Shari Lieberman, a highly respected author and educator in the world of nutrition. The information will be presented by a Registered Nurse and a personal trainer local to our community. At this seminar you will have the opportunity to meet and speak with people currently following the

program, like Barbara C., who has lost over 90 pounds since last August! If you're ready to shed those pounds, call Janice Donovan at (978) 815-5019 to reserve a seat for this highly informative Seminar. Seminar held on Wednesday, July 12th from 7-8:30 p.m.



Barbra Knowlton showed no mercy in the bumper cars at Wilmington's 4th of July carnival on Friday night.

Photo by Maureen Lamoureux



Lori Osbourn provided a little bit of emotional (and physical) support to her son, Jason, age 1 1/2, while he rode the carousel horse on Friday night.

Photo by Maureen Lamoureux

Home Health Foundation Receives Accreditation

Lawrence, Mass. — Home Health Foundation is pleased to announce they were awarded accreditation with full standards compliance during their recent review from the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO).

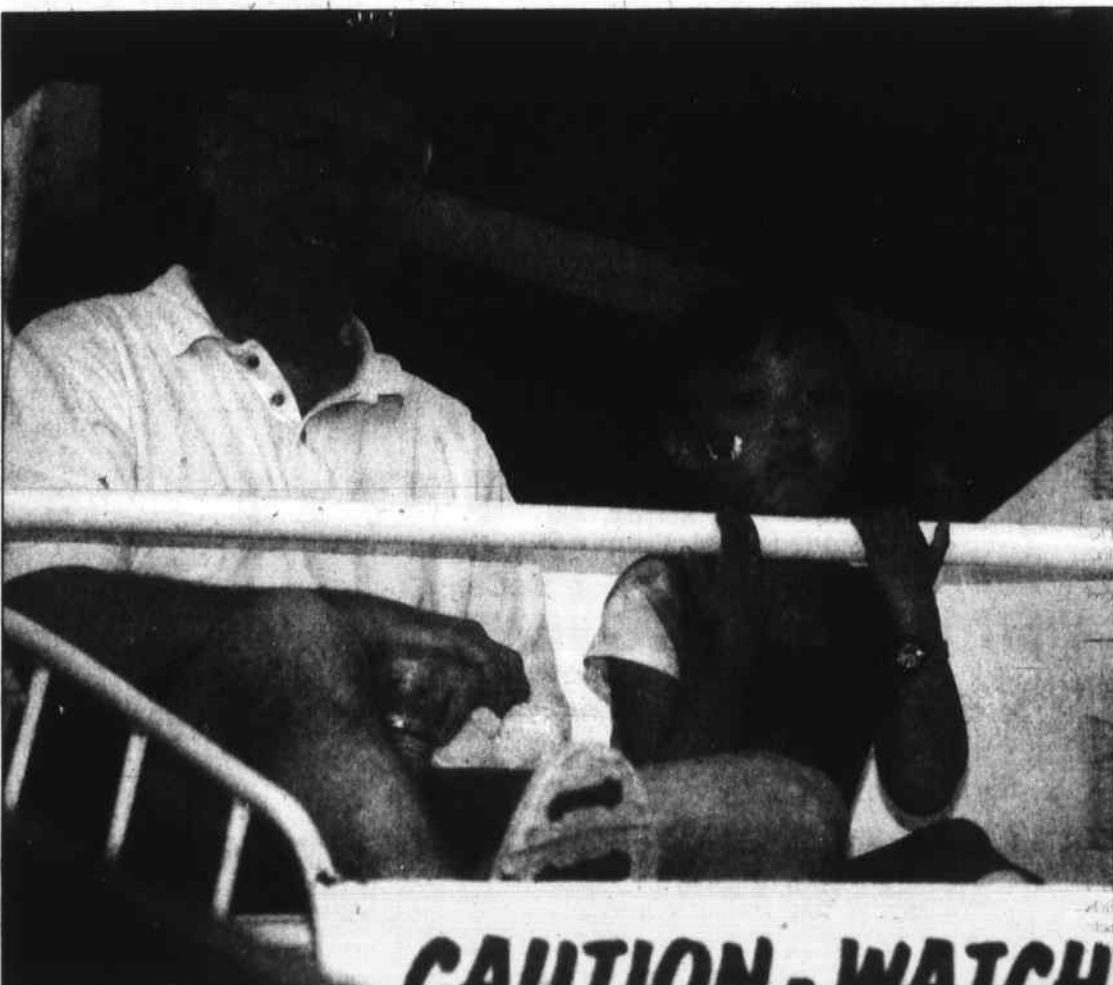
Formed in 1951, the Joint Commission is dedicated to improving the quality of the nation's health care through voluntary accreditation. Home Health Foundation was accredited after two JCAHO surveyors

conducted an on-site review in October and found that Home Health Foundation has demonstrated compliance with the Joint Commission's national standards for home care organizations.

"Obtaining accreditation is another step toward providing excellent care to those in our community who rely on home care," said Joan Stygles Hull, RN, MBA. In becoming accredited, Home Health Foundation was evaluated against a set of national standards by a Joint

Commission team of surveyors experienced in the delivery of home care services. Achieving accreditation demonstrates our commitment providing high quality and safe care.

Home Health Foundation's family of agency is comprised of Home Health VNA, Merrimack Valley Hospice and HomeCare, Inc. The three agencies serve more than 80 communities throughout the Merrimack Valley and Northeastern Massachusetts and Southern New Hampshire.



Lian LeDuc rode the Ferris Wheel with her Dad, Dan, on Friday night.

(Maureen Lamoureux photo)

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Wilmington Community Blood Drive

The Wilmington Community Blood Drive, sponsored by St. Dorothy's Church, will be held on Tuesday, July 18, 2006 from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at St. Dorothy's Church 11 Harnden St., Wilmington.

Positive ID is required.
Enter to win Red Sox tickets as "Blood Donor of the Game."
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The American Red Cross is in urgent need of blood donations in the summer.

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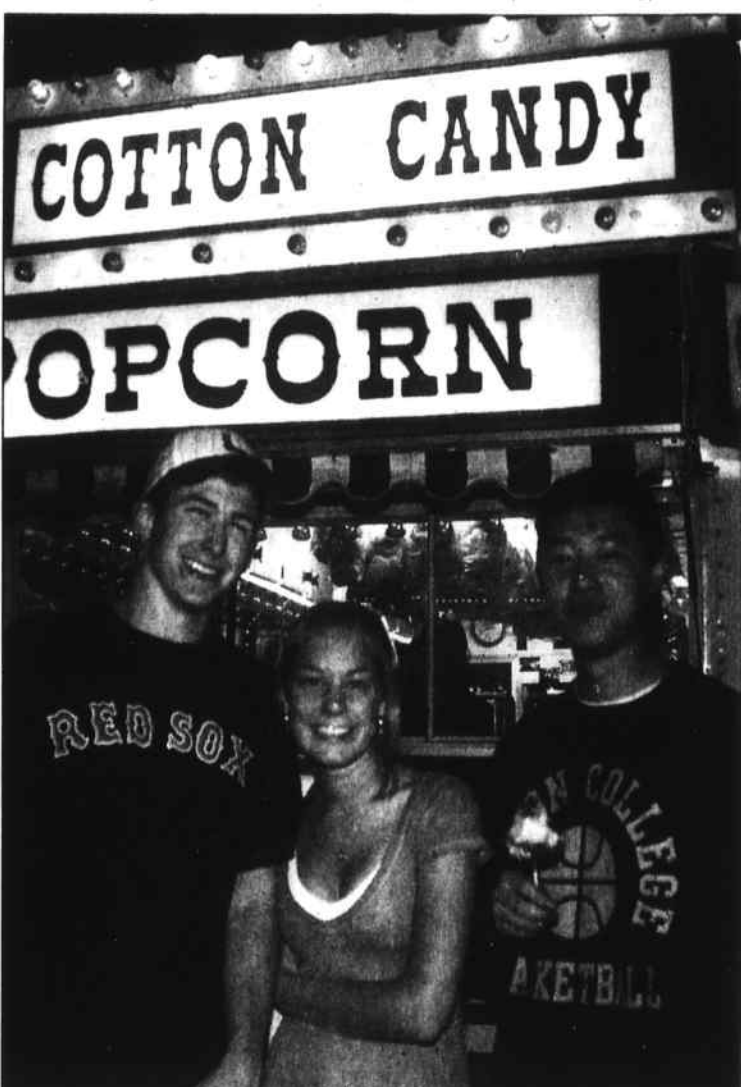
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Wilmington Rotary Club member Mary Whitney got a kiss from her grandson Dylan Timmons on Wilmington Common on Wednesday night. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)



Michael Vassallo, Caitlin Woodbury and Clayton Huynh had candy apples at the carnival in Wilmington on Friday night. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)



Kimberly Calvone rode Bingo lead, by John Cave, while her mother Denise stayed close by. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Stonehill College names local student to Dean's List

Easton, Ma- June 26, 2006 - Stonehill College has recently named Local student, Shannon M. Fahey of Wilmington, a student of the Class of 2008, to the Dean's List for the spring 2006 semester.



Tug-o-War team #15 was no pushover. Front to back: Alex Fischer, Emily Colosimo, Anna Walsh, Sydney Padulsky, Samantha DePasquale, Emma Howland and Alex Haigh. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Wilmington Library Notes

by Christina Stewart

New Teen Services Librarian; Brandy Danne

Upcoming Teen Events at the Library

Teens are invited to stop by the library and meet Brandy Danner, the new Teen Services Librarian. Brandy has scheduled the following programs and hopes to meet many Wilmington teens in the next few weeks.

Teen Comics Club

Come check out the new manga, draw comics, and watch some anime! The Comics Club will meet on July 10th at 7:00 p.m.

Teen Dungeons and Dragons

Drop in to play this popular fantasy role-playing game on July 11, July 25, August 8 and August 22 from 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. Beginners through advanced players, ages 12 and older, are welcome. We'll provide the snacks. All those who attend may enter the drawing for a free Dungeons and Dragons book donated by the Friends of the Library.

Henna Tattoos

Get a Mehndi style temporary tattoo to show off! Henna artist Nimmi Sehgal will be here on Wednesday, July 19th, and Wednesday, August 23rd, from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. to give FREE temporary tattoos to teens. Please register (only one session per patron, please) by calling the Youth Room at 978-694-2098 starting on July 6.

Teen Movie Night

On a journey to find the cure for a Tatarigami's curse, a prince finds himself in the middle of a war between the forest and Tataraba, a mining colony, in this popular Hayao Miyazaki movie to be screened on Monday, July 24th at 6:30 p.m. Drop-in. Rated: PG-13.

Teen Book Discussion

The feed tracks your shopping habits and recommends similar products, it advertises things

you're walking past, it's television shows and news and email and maps, and it's all right there in your head. But what happens when your feed gets hacked? Titus and Violet are about to find out, because a malfunctioning feed is one thing — but a malfunctioning feed that was installed atypically besides is a much bigger problem. Join us at noon on Friday, July 21, when we discuss M.T. Anderson's Feed. Please bring a lunch; dessert and drinks will be provided. Copies of the books may be reserved by visiting or calling the Youth Room at 978-694-2098. Drop-in for discussion, and door prizes provided by the Friends of the Library.

Upcoming Children's Programs

Making Music Story/Craft

Three and four year-olds are invited to register for Making Music, a program featuring stories about music and an instrument craft, on Thursday, July 13th at 10:00 a.m. Visit or call the Children's Room at 978-694-2098 beginning Thursday, July 6th to register.

Finger Puppet Drop-in Craft

Will finger puppets Act Up! during library hours from July 10th through 14th when all ages craft them to life? Drop-in and see what your creations will do!

Star Mag Meeting

Kids ages eight and older are invited to drop-in Wednesday, July 12th at 3:30 p.m. with their finished original artwork, puzzles, poems, comics, jokes, etc., as contributions to the summer issue of this magazine written by, for and about kids, and published by the library. Refreshments will be served and a door prize will be awarded.

Children's Movie Night

In this Disney hit dance movie

to be screened on Monday, July 17th at 6:30 p.m., a popular high school basketball star (Zac Efron) and a shy, brainy newcomer (Vanessa Anne Hudgens) secretly decide to audition for their school's musical, a decision that turns their world and their school upside-down. Drop-in. Rated: PG.

You and Me Puppets

Puppeteer Judith O'Hare of You and Me Puppets will be presenting an adaptation of Oscar Wilde's "The Selfish Giant" for an audience ages five and older on Tuesday, July 11th at 10 a.m. Tickets for the event are free and may be reserved by visiting or calling the Children's Room at 978-694-2098. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Book Discussions

Children ages seven and older will talk about Starting with Alice, the first of three prequels to Phyllis Reynolds Naylor's beloved Alice series for their next book discussion on Monday, July 10th at 11:30 a.m. Bring your lunch!

Susan Cooper's Newbery Honor book, The Dark Is Rising, will be discussed by children ages nine and older on Wednesday, July 19th at 3:30 p.m. Door prizes provided by the Friends of the Library.

July 14th Last Day to Register for Talent Show

Wilmington singers, dancers, jugglers, musicians, actors, and talented individuals ages six through adult are invited to register for the Acting Up Talent Show. Registration is required and forms are available at the library. The registration deadline is Friday, July 14th. Auditions will be scheduled prior to the event.

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OBITUARIES

Clementine "Mindy" Altavilla

Worked for New England Telephone Company and Bloomingburg Furniture

LYNNFIELD - Clementine "Mindy" (Diglio) Altavilla died June 27, 2006.

Born in Revere she was a resident there until her marriage to her husband Tony, a marriage that lasted for 50 years. Mindy was 86 years of age when she passed away at the New England Baptist Hospital in Boston after a brief illness.

Living in Lynnfield for the last 15 years, Mindy worked for over 10 years for the New England Telephone Company and for over 15 years as the clerk, bookkeeper and receptionist for Bloomingburg Furniture which was located on Broadway and Congress Avenue.

She was the devoted wife of the late Antonio "Tony" Altavilla; beloved mother of Donna Altavilla-DeMarco and her husband Donald of Lynnfield and Janis Breslin and her husband George of

Wilmington. Dear and loving sister of Vicky Carrabes, Frances Diglio and Marie Romano all of Revere and the late Anthony Diglio; cherished grandmother of Kristen and Ryan Breslin both of Wilmington.

Family and friends are kindly invited to attend a funeral from the Smith Funeral Home, 125 Washington Avenue, Chelsea, on Friday morning, June 30th at 8 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass celebrated in St. Rose Church, 601 Broadway, Chelsea at 9 o'clock. Visiting Hours in the Smith Funeral Home on Thursday from 4-8 P.M. Services will conclude with entombment at the Holy Cross Mausoleum, Malden. Expressions of sympathy in "Mindy's" name may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen Street, Framingham, MA 01701-4688.

Janet A. Black

Worked at Boston Regional Medical Center; 70

TEWKSBURY - Janet A. (Forti) Black, age 70, who worked at a Stoneham hospital, died Friday morning, June 30, 2006, at her Tewksbury home, following an extended illness.

She was born in East Boston, July 25, 1935, a daughter of the late Natalie and Rose (DeAngelis) Forti. She lived the greater part of her life in East Boston, but had resided in Tewksbury since 1969.

She worked as a billing specialist at the Boston Regional Medical Center in Stoneham, formerly known as New England Memorial Hospital.

She was active in P.W.P. (Parents Without Partners) Billerica/Burlington Chapter, and a communicant of St. William's Parish in Tewksbury. She was lovingly described by her family as a passionate cook, who had devoted her life to her family.

She is survived by three daughters and a son-in-law, Doreen Piehota and her husband Stephen of West Brookfield, MA, Nadine Hagl of Ware, MA, Cheryl Black of Tewksbury, with whom she resided; four grandchildren, Ricky Henry III, Krystal Henry, Michael Henry, Tyler Hagl; a great granddaughter, Mya May; a sister and brother-in-law, Paula Donovan and her hus-

band Paul of Revere; her former husband Alfred J. Black of Wellington, FL; and very dear friend Joseph Massa of Everett.



Her funeral was held Monday, July 3, at 9:00 a.m. from the Tewksbury Funeral Home, corner of Dewey and Main Sts. (Rte 38) Tewksbury Center, phone (800 or 978) 851-2950. Funeral Mass Monday at 10:00 a.m. in St. William's Church, 1351 Main St. (Rte 38) Tewksbury. Burial in St. Mary's Cemetery, No. Tewksbury. Visiting hours were Sunday 4 to 7 in the funeral home. Memorials to the Mass General Hospital, Cancer Center, 32 Fruit St., Boston, MA 02114, will be appreciated. www.tewksburyfuneralhome.com

Carl von Linde Blomerth, Jr.

Skilled cabinet maker/refinisher, WWII veteran

MADISON, ME - Carl von Linde Blomerth, Jr., 89, beloved husband of the late Priscilla (Coffin) Blomerth, died

Thurs., June 29, 2006 at Redington-Fairview Hospital in Skowhegan. He was born on March 17, 1917 in Gloucester, MA, the son of Carl V., Sr. and Marcella (Riggs) Blomerth.

He was a graduate of Malden High School, Class of 1935. Carl was a WWII veteran, having served in the U.S. Army 45th Infantry Division from 1942 to 1945. He was a skilled cabinet maker/refinisher and worked in the trade throughout his life.

Carl was a member of the Euclid Lodge in Madison, American Legion Tardiff-Belanger Post 39, and a former member of the Friendship Lodge in Wilmington, MA. He was a member of the Community United Methodist Church in North Anson and a formerly devoted member of the Wilmington United Methodist Church, Wilmington, MA. Later in life, Carl took up locksmithing and marquetry. He was also a musician who played the piccolo, flute, harmonica, and trumpet.

He was predeceased by his sisters, Virginia Blomerth and Irene Garfield; a brother, Sheldon Blomerth; and a grandson, Derek Blomerth.

He is survived by his children, Donn Blomerth and his wife Linda of Embden, Constance Maginnis and her husband William of Embden, and Bette Maglio and her husband Louis of Medfield, MA; grandchildren, Becky Beane of Benton, Lance Maginnis of Anson, Dwayne Blomerth of Benton, Daren Blomerth of Madison, Stacey Meyer of Winchester,

MA, Peter Maginnis of Embden, Margi Maginnis of Belfast, and Christopher Maglio of Blacksburg, VA; 14 great-grandchildren; brothers, Edward Blomerth and Francis Blomerth; sisters, Dorothea



Chellis and Marcella Cusson; several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be 6-8 p.m., Wed., July 5, 2006 at Giberson Funeral Home, 40 Maple St., Madison, ME. A funeral service will be held, 9 a.m., Thurs., July 6 at the Community United Methodist Church, Main St., North Anson, ME with Rev. George L. Hodgkins officiating. A graveside memorial service open to all family and friends will be held at 3 p.m., Thurs., July 6 at Puritan Lawn Memorial Park, Peabody, MA with Rev. William Campbell officiating. A reception will follow. Donations may be made in the memory of Carl Blomerth to Mass Eye & Ear Infirmary, c/o Development Office, 243 Charles St., Boston, MA 02114 (checks should be made payable to "FDN of MI, Inc.") or to the United Methodist Church.

Christine M. Bowser

Former Tewksbury resident; 70

HUDSON, NH - Christine M. (Cicero) Bowser, age 70, a for-



mer resident of Tewksbury, MA, died unexpectedly Thursday afternoon, June 29, 2006, from an apparent heart attack. She was the wife of George R. Bowser, who died in 1996.

She was born in Boston, on October 12, 1935, one of eighteen children of the late Joseph and Lillian (Sweetka) Cicero. She was raised in Brighton, MA, and lived in Tewksbury from 1978 until 2001, when she moved to Hudson, NH.

Mrs. Bowser enjoyed bowling and bingo, and was described by her children as having devoted her life to her family.

She is survived by two daughters and sons-in-law, Darlene

and Robert Ligon of Danbury, NH, Doreen and Frank Tremblay of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; a son-in-law, John Monahan of Tewksbury; a brother, Kenneth Cicero and his wife Phyllis of Tewksbury; a sister Alice DeCosta of Hudson, NH; six grandchildren, Wendy Killam of Tilton, NH, Angela Manly of New London, NH, Kevin Monahan and Megan Monahan both of Tewksbury, Tanya Tremblay and Tiffany Tremblay both of Ft. Lauderdale; one great granddaughter, Dehli Perry; and many nieces and nephews.

She was also mother of the late Deborah Monahan.

Her funeral will be held Friday, July 7, at 11:00 a.m. in the Tewksbury Funeral Home, corner of Dewey and Main Sts. (Rte 38) Tewksbury Center phone (800 in MA or 978) 851-2950. Visiting hours Thursday 4 to 7 p.m. in the funeral home. Following cremation, interment will be in Puritan Lawn Cemetery, Peabody, MA. In lieu of flowers, memorial to the NHSPCA, Exec. Dir., P.O. Box 196 Stratham, NH 03885, will be appreciated. www.tewksburyfuneralhome.com

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Robert F. Carroll

Retired from Purity Supreme warehouse; 78

TEWKSBURY - Robert F. Carroll, age 78, a resident of Tewksbury for more than four decades, died Wednesday, June 28, 2006, at the Spring Hill,

Florida, home of his daughter, after a courageous year long battle with cancer. He was the husband of Lenore F. (Leonard) Carroll, who died March 1, 1995.

He was born in West Roxbury, on July 18, 1927, the son of George and Rita Carroll, and was raised in West Roxbury. He lived in Billerica before moving to Tewksbury in 1963.

During WWII, he served in the U.S. Navy, assigned to the Pacific Fleet.

He worked at the warehouse for Purity Supreme in Billerica, where he held membership in the Teamsters Union.

Since retirement, he had enjoyed leisure time at Rockingham Park in Salem, NH.

He is survived by two daughters and a son-in-law, Dianne Blanchette, Nancy Massicotte and her husband Richard all of Fla; two sons, Daniel Carroll of Fla, and Ronald J. Carroll of Tewksbury; and three grandchildren, Ronald D. Yost, Jasmine Carroll and Joleen Carroll all of Tewksbury.

He was also father of the late Robert F. Carroll, and father-in-law of the late Roger



Blanchette.

His Funeral Service will be held Thursday, July 6, at 11:00 a.m. in the Tewksbury Funeral Home, corner of Dewey and Main Sts. (Rte 38) Tewksbury Center, phone (800 in MA or 978) 851-2950. Burial will follow at Fox Hill Cemetery in Billerica. Visiting hours Wednesday 4 to 7 p.m. in the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the American Cancer Society, 30 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701 will be appreciated. www.tewksburyfuneralhome.com

James Cuoco

Retired Wilmington Police Officer

WILMINGTON / READING - James Cuoco, a Wilmington Police Officer for many years passed away June 29, 2006 after a long illness. He was the loving husband of Mary Ann (Foley). He was the father of Mark Cuoco of Reading and Jacqueline Duggan of Reading. Mr. Cuoco was also the brother of Eleanor Doyle of Wilmington and Dolores Neagle of Kentucky. He is also survived by six grandchildren, Kevin G. O'Donnell, Jr., Georgia Ann O'Donnell, John Paul Duggan, Matthew James Duggan, Jr., Martha Rose Duggan and Mary Clare Duggan.

Mr. Cuoco was a member of the Tewksbury/Wilmington Elks Lodge #2070.

Visiting hours will be held in the family home of Mary Ann Cuoco, 45 Longview Road, Reading on Sunday, July 9th

from 5 - 9 p.m.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Thomas Church,



Middlesex Ave., Wilmington on Monday, July 10th at 10 a.m. Flowers and spiritual bouquets in Jim's memory may be sent to 45 Longview Road, Reading, MA 01867.

Five students on Dean's List at Assumption C.

WORCESTER - The following students have been named to the Dean's List at Assumption College for the Spring 2006 Semester. Students in the undergraduate school are required to have a GPA of 3.5 or higher to be named to the list.

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The list of local area students named to the Dean's List includes: Lindsey J. Cabral, class of 2006, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cabral of Tewksbury.

Stacy R. Comer, class of 2007, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael B. Comer of Wilmington.

Michael J. Manfra, class of

2008, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Manfra of Tewksbury.

Lindsay N. Rosa, class of 2007, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Rosa of Wilmington.

Krystal H. Spencer, class of 2007, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spencer of Tewksbury.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 5, 2006

Many locals to compete at 25th annual Bay State Games

By JAMIE POTE
Sports Editor

The 25th annual Bay State Games will begin this week with a handful of local athletes participating in various sports which will take place across the state mostly at college fields over the next two weeks.

On Monday the baseball competition will begin and be played at Harvard University. Tewksbury High players Scott Oberg and Brian Sullivan will compete for team Northeast, who'll begin play on Monday at

4:00 pm.

Most of the other sports begin on July 13th including softball with Tewksbury High's Michaela Marche a member of Team Northeast and they open play at noon at UMass Boston.

The basketball competition has three Tewksbury High players from this past year, Corey Ryser, James Mazzapica and Samir Shah will all suit up will competition being held at UMass Boston. Craig Melillo of Wilmington will also be on the court. Tewksbury's Sammy Macy, who is coming off leading the Merrimack Valley Conference in scoring, will suit up for team Northeast in field hockey play, and will take on Team West at 2:30 held at UMass Lowell.

On the same day, lacrosse games will be held at Wentworth behind Tewksbury's Corey Hamilton and Chris Noyes. Wilmington resident Conor Murphy, who attends Austin Prep, will have the honor of participating in both lacrosse and ice hockey. Tewksbury's Meaghan Billings is the lone soccer player, and she'll play for Team Northeast who will open play on July 14th at 9:00 am at UMass Boston.

Finally beginning on the 13th will be tennis featuring Wilmington's Michael Auciello, Thomas Coughlin, Brian Garrett, Ryan Loring, Kenny Vassallo and Dan Kline.

On Saturday, July 15th, badminton will be held at MIT and Tewksbury resident Cheryl Tan is the lone representative signed-up. On the same day will be track and field, volleyball and wrestling, will a handful of locals participating.

Wilmington residents Alison Audette, Michael Barry, Tom Barry, Shawn Fahey, Nicholas Farnsworth, Natalie Russo, Sydnee Russo, Rebecca Connolly and Chris Pedit, as well as Tewksbury locals Kerry Galvin, Bill Harriman, Nik Kafkas, Jim Burgoyne, Justin O'Brien and Hadley Santos will take part in the track and field competition to be held on the 15th at MIT.

On the wrestling mat will feature Tewksbury's Andrew Jarek, Jimmy Tarpey and Joseph Troiano, and Wilmington's Brian Sullivan. Volleyball will have Tewksbury's Kaitlyn Stokes, and those games will be held at the Mass Premier Courts in Foxboro.



Front Row: Anthony Capozzi, Cam Owens and Steve Ciampa. Middle row: Mike Ciampa, Mike Brent, Zach Shepard, Pat Magliano and Dan Vigneau. Back row: Steve Taylor, Vinny Scifo, Frank Cerbone, Anthony Scuto and Trevor Foley. The coaches are: Joe Cerbone, Jim Magliano, Mike Ciampa and Vin Scifo (missing from photo). (courtesy photo)

Yankees take Major League title

In Wilmington Major Little League action, after finishing in first place in the regular season the Yankees stormed through the playoffs by winning four straight to take the playoff crown too.

First up was a first round game against the Tigers. This was a tough game all the way around especially after Kyle Peach gave the Tigers a 1-0 lead with a mammoth home run to dead center in the top of the second.

The Yankees tied it in the bottom half when Mike Brent lead off with a single, stole second, went to third on a wild pitch and scored on an RBI single by Danny Vigneau. The Yankees took the lead with a two-out rally in the third inning when Anthony Capozzi and Zack Shepard hit clutch back to back singles with Shepard's hit knocking in Capozzi for the 2-1 lead.

The next inning Mike Ciampa led off with a single, Vin Scifo walked, then Mike Brent drove them both in with his second hit of the game. Cam Owens then delivered Brent with a big two out RBI single to give NY a 5-1 lead after four. That was all the scoring as the final was Yankees 5, Tigers 1.

Cole Pfeffer and Joey Aucoin both pitched brilliantly in defeat for the Tigers. Pfeffer kept the Yankees off stride by mixing speeds throughout his three innings. He struck out four and didn't walk any. Aucoin whiffed three in his two innings of relief and he also showed great control by not walking anybody either.

For the Yankees, Anthony Scuto pitched a very strong three innings giving up only two hits, the home run by Kyle Peach and a single to Tyler Vibert. Scuto also whiffed seven in his three innings. Vin Scifo came on in the fourth and slammed the door the rest of the way by also fanning seven. He didn't give up any hits as one walk and a hit batter were his only blemishes in three innings of relief.

When the Red Sox and hooked up in a semi final playoff it started the same way as the last game for the Yanks as they fell behind 1-0 again due to long home run. This time it was the Red Sox Killian Smith who hit a towering blast into the woods in the top of the second.

The Yankees responded and then some after that with three in the bottom of the second, then five more in the third as they went on to win this one in a rout. Offensively every Yankee had at least one hit in this game. Mike Brent led the charge with a 4-for-4 game including two doubles. Mike Ciampa and Cam Owens each had three hits, while Steve Ciampa, Anthony Capozzi, and Vin Scifo had two each.

One of Scifo's was a booming three-run home run to left center. Pat Magliano, Steve Taylor, Dan Vigneau, Joe Cerbone, Trevor Foley, and Zack Shepard each chipped in with a base knock of their own.

For the Red Sox, in addition to Killian Smith's home run, Tyler Warner and Tim Woods had two

hits each, while Tommy See, Brendan McDonough, and Justin Ferreira had one each. On the mound for the Yankees, Mike Ciampa pitched a very effective three innings with Killian's blast the only run he gave up. Mike Brent and Steve Taylor split the last three innings with fine relief work.

Finals-A's vs Yankees; Game 1 (best 2 out 3)

On to the finals it would be the Yankees vs the A's in a best of three format. With Little League pitching rules set up the way they are both managers had to jockey their pitching staffs because both teams played the day before and were scheduled to play three out of four nights. This was one of the reasons game one of the finals turned out to be a gut wrenching, draining game for both teams.

The Yankees scored twice in the bottom of the first for a 2-0 lead but the A's answered back with one in the top of the second, then tied it at two in the top of the fourth. The Yankees responded with two in the bottom of the fourth to take a 4-2 lead. Once again the A's answered with a run to make it a 4-3 game after four and a half innings.

Then the Yankees seemed to put the game away with three runs in the bottom of the fifth. Not so fast! The A's rallied against tiring Yankee starter Pat Magliano who had gone all the way on the hill so far. They scored one run and had the tying run at the plate in hard hitting Adam Siegel. The Yanks decided to leave Mag out there to try to finish it off. Siegel hit a bullet to left center that left fielder Trevor Foley snared with a nice running catch to end the game. If it had gotten by, Adam could still be running to tie the game up. Final score Yankees 7, A's 3.

Offensively for the A's Phil Lentini ripped a double and a single, Dan Pendenza was 2-for-2, and Joe Spinale also had a single. For the Yankees Mike Brent whacked two doubles, Vin Scifo had a double and single, Pat Magliano two singles, and one hit each from Mike Ciampa, Dan Vigneau, Frankie Cerbone, and Trevor Foley. Steve Taylor also had a huge sacrifice fly when his drive to the center field fence was hauled in by Adam Siegel.

On the mound this was truly one of the gutsiest performances you'll come across as Pat Magliano hurled the complete game victory. From the fourth inning on there were many

instances where the Yankee coaching staff had ideas of taking him out when he seemed to be tiring but he hung there right to the last out. What this wound up doing for the Yankees in addition to putting them up 1-0 in the series, was save the rest of the staff for the remainder of the series.

Nick Cerame pitched a very effective three innings for the A's as he held the Yanks to only three runs. Jake MacIsaac also pitched well and if it weren't for some tough luck and a couple of bloopers things could have been a different story.

Game Two

The A's broke out top in this one with a run in the bottom of the first on a double by Steve Colangelo then consecutive hits by Timmy McCarthy and Adam Siegel. The Yankees came right back with two in the top of the second with Steve Taylor and Danny Vigneau coming up with big hits in that inning. It stayed 2-1 Yankees until the top of the fourth when they scored two big runs. Mike Ciampa and Vin Scifo started it off with singles then Pat Magliano plated one with a big sac fly. The other run scored on a passed ball.

The Yankees came up with two more in fifth on a hard single by Dan Vigneau, a walk to Frankie Cerbone, a hit batter (Trevor Foley), and a bunt single by Stevie Ciampa. That gave the Yankees a 6-2 lead after five and they'd go on to put the game and the Championship away with a strong three innings giving up just the one run in the first. He wiggled out of that jam and went on to shut the door the next two innings. Ace Vin Scifo came on to pitch the last three innings to slam the door. He did give up one run but whiffed six and ended things in style by striking out the side in the sixth as the Yankees went on the playoff title with the 9-2 victory.

Tim McCarthy hurled the first four innings for the A's and should have fared better then exiting with a 4-1 deficit as a couple of untimely errors really hurt the A's in this one. Tim did strike out five in his four innings of work.

For the Yankees, after a rocky first inning Mike Ciampa pitched a strong three innings giving up just the one run in the first. He wiggled out of that jam and went on to shut the door the next two innings. Ace Vin Scifo came on to pitch the last three innings to slam the door. He did give up one run but whiffed six and ended things in style by striking out the side in the sixth as the Yankees went on the playoff title with the 9-2 victory.



Tom Barry (left) and Brian Garrett (right) are two of the many locals who will be competing in next week's 25th annual Bay State Games. (file photos)



Schena soccer club looking to climb the standings

By DAN IGO
Sports Correspondent

A lot has changed in the 23 years Arthur Schena has been involved with the Eastern Massachusetts Women's Soccer League.

His first team back in 1983 consisted of "soccer moms" who were mostly looking to remain in shape. His team today consists of competitive girls 17 and older; most of whom play soccer at the collegiate level.

Schena's team is called the Rough Riders, and were started by Schena's son, Michael. Their first tryout occurred when John Wynn Middle School was called John Wynn Junior High. Today, Schena's team plays at the Frasca Field.

The Rough Riders compete in the Premier League, the most competitive and talented league in the Eastern Massachusetts Women's Soccer League. Many of Schena's players either compete for

UMass Lowell or will begin their college career at UMass Lowell in the fall. Colleen Fitzpatrick, a recent graduate of Tewksbury High, fits into the latter category as does Kat Strazzere, who just completed her career as a member of the WHS girls varsity team.

The Rough Riders weren't always in this competitive of a division.

"We started at the Division 2 level," Schena said. "We never had a losing season with these women. We became too dominant and were forced to move up. A lot of players didn't like that because they knew we'd be playing college girls who slide tackled. A lot of players on my team worked for a living and didn't want to get hurt."

Schena's team plays in Division 1A, which itself is separated into North and South. This is done because traffic can be a problem during rush hour, according to Schena. There are five teams in each division, and

each team plays the other teams in their division twice. Every team also plays five crossover games against teams from the different division and playoffs consist of the top two teams in each division. Schena's team plays in the North Division, and competes against teams from Lexington, Newton, and Tufts College.

The travel isn't easy for the team, even within its own division. Many of Schena's players have summer jobs, and this can cause a conflict with the team.

"It's tough for me up here," Schena said. "Some of the trips are 62 or 63 miles. These kids work during the day, or if they don't work during the day, work nights. It can get pretty difficult."

Currently, the Rough Riders are 1-3-1. However, Schena says that this record is misleading, and is optimistic towards the future.

"We had a bad start because of kids taking extra classes in June," he said. "I wasn't having the complement of players that I had on paper. I wasn't getting consistent play out of the team. Honestly, we should be 3-1-1."

The season started June 14th. There is about a month left in league play, and the playoffs begin in August. Despite the Rough Riders' slow start, Schena still believes that his team can finish the season strong.

"At this point I think I got a good shot of making the playoffs, even though we're 1-3-1," he said. "I had a couple of ingredients that I was missing from my front line, and one from the midfield, and now I got them back. We're starting to gel now, and I think we have a good shot."



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WHS physicals for athletes NOT August 22

WILMINGTON - Contrary to a story published last week in the Town Crier, physicals for Wilmington High School athletes will NOT be conducted on August 22. Wilmington Athletic director stated that the physicals were done in June and although there may be addition-

al days in August, that decision has not been made. The August 22 date is in fact after the start of practice for some teams.

Any future dates will be announced in the Town Crier.

The Town Crier apologizes for any confusion caused by the incorrect date.

Wilmington Recreation Summer announces local events

Weekdays: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Recreation Office, Town Hall, Room 8.

Mail: Recreation Department, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA 01887

Night Drop: Place payment, class information and your phone number in sealed envelope and drop in metal slot in the wall at the left of the front door to Town Hall.

We encourage residents of varying abilities, disabilities to participate in our programs, trips, etc.

If you require an accommodation, call the Recreation Office at (978) 658-4270 or call TTY (978) 694-1417.

CONCERTS ON THE COMMON

(Town Common)
Mark your calendar for Wednesday evenings in July, 6:30 - 8 p.m.; prepare to relax to the sweet melodies of these entertainers:

July 5 - Johnny the K will entertain families with "music, humor and hats"! Johnny, an award winning performer and former school teacher, plays the guitar and changes his look to educate children through his interactive show. Johnny the K has performed all across the country - come see him right here in Wilmington!

July 12 - A Tribute to Elvis - Can't get enough Jailhouse

Rock, Hound Dog, Love Me Tender? Mike Slater will croon Elvis' oldies on the Common - rated one of the best tribute artists in New England!

July 19 - The Reminisants - The songs of the '50s and '60s will entertain you as you listen to this famous band that performs all over Massachusetts as well as on cruise ships!

July 26 - Don Campbell Trio - A fiddle and a bass guitar mix with Don Campbell's smooth vocals to bring us toe-tapping country music. The group will play and sing a blend of old and new favorites to keep you smiling, singing and dancing along. Don was named Maine's best Singer-Songwriter by the Maine Sunday Telegram, and has opened for Willie Nelson, Carrie Underwood and Kenny Rogers!

TOWN BEACH

(Silver Lake)
Saturday, June 17 - Sunday, August 13. The public beach at Silver Lake provides our finest recreation resource. Qualified lifeguards supervise the facility from 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday, and 12 noon to 7 p.m. on Sundays. Wilmington residents may use the beach at no charge. Proof of residency is required. All non-residents can either pay a daily fee at the beach or purchase season passes at the Recreation Office. Children

under 14 must be accompanied by an adult. No flotation devices or dogs are allowed on the beach.

CANOE RENTALS - \$10 week-day/\$15 weekend - Canoe rentals are available during beach operation hours.

WILDCAT CAPS FOR SALE (\$8/Recreation Office)

Check out this navy cloth cap with the wildcat paw embroidered on the front. One size fits most with a slide on the back for your perfect fit. A great "birthday/end of school/good report card" gift for your favorite "cat"!

POLICE ASSOCIATION BEACH DAY - FREE, Thursday, August 3, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., Town Beach

Join us for swimming competitions, sand castle contests and a barbecue lunch served by your own WPD men in blue. A local DJ will supply fun music while you enjoy the day.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS TINY TOTS & KIDS CLUB

(Boutwell School)
Ages 4 - 7, \$130 per session. Monday, June 26 - Friday, July 14 (No July 3 or 4) or Monday, July 17 - Thursday, August 3, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. This is a social/recreational program that includes arts and crafts, games, special events, daily themes and a field trip. Participants receive a t-shirt and a class photo. A copy of

child's birth certificate is needed for registration. Call for class availability - there are still spots available in most age groups! The fun continues through age 7!

PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

(Shawsheen School)

Entering Grades 2 - 7, \$125. Monday - Friday, June 26 - August 3, 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. (no July 3 or 4), rain or shine! This program consists of arts and crafts, games, sports, special events, free play and optional field trips. Brand new for this summer are additional board games, updated crafts, shuffleboard, bocce, 9-hole "frisbee golf" and more!

REC. BASKETBALL LEAGUE

(WRBL) Grades 3 - 10, \$60. Saturdays, December 2, 2006 - February 10, 2007, (10 Weeks) No games on 12/30.

This will mark the 44th year for Wilmington Recreation Basketball! There are 10 Saturday games and one week-night practice each week. Registration period is Tuesday, August 15 - Friday, October 20.

TENNIS FOR TWO

(TOT AND YOU (Kathleen Reynolds - Boutwell Courts)

Age 4 accompanied by an adult, \$30, Fridays, September 8 - October 13, (6 Weeks), 9 - 9:45 a.m.

This new class teaches our

potential pros the basics of tennis. Love all!

"LITTLE DRAGONS" KARATE CLASS

(Academy of Traditional Karate)

Ages 3 - 4, \$25, Thursdays, August 3 - 24, (4 Weeks), 4 - 4:45 p.m. This new class includes basic Karate moves, Japanese culture and life skills such as concentration, respect and confidence. T-shirt and belt included.

KINDER SOCCER

(West Intermediate School Gym)

Ages 4 - Kindergarten, \$35, Saturdays, September 23 - November 4, (6 Wks.), 9:30 - 10:15, 10:15 - 11 or 11 - 11:45 a.m. (No class October 7). Just like the big kids, now you can play soccer indoors while learning about the game.

KINDER KARATE

(Brett Gonsalves - West Intermediate Cafeteria)

Ages 4 - Grade 1, \$30, Saturdays, September 23 - November 4, (6 Wks.), 9:30 - 10:20 a.m. (No class October 7)

An introduction to the art. Warm-ups, basic moves and body strikes will be featured. Continuing students are welcome!

PARTY TIME!

(Christine Downey - Town Hall)

Ages 4 - 7, \$18 each party. Includes games, stories, music,

make-up, a craft project, refreshments and a souvenir photo!

Beach Bash - Wednesday, August 9, 4:30 - 6 p.m. Wear a swimsuit or summer attire, and enjoy a summer beach party!

Sock Hop - Friday, September 22, 4:30 - 6 p.m. Have fun in the poodle skirt and leather jacket era! Costumes will be provided.

TOP SECRET SCIENCE & MATH SUMMER FUN

(Michael Bergen - Shawsheen School)

Entering Grades 1 - 5, \$95, Monday - Friday, August 14 - 18, 9 a.m. - 12 Noon. The kids can have a blast (literally!) while they learn. This program follows state guidelines for required curriculums. Children will complete 10 - 14 experiments each day under the instruction of an experienced and professional science teacher.

BEACH VOLLEYBALL

(Kathleen Reynolds - Town Beach)

\$40, Monday - Friday, August 7 - 11, Ages 8 - 11 from 9 - 11 a.m., Ages 11 - 15 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Pack your sunscreen, towel and a drink for this fun program on the beach at Silver Lake! Lifeguards on duty during class.

Reds overtake Mariners in Wilmington Youth Softball playoffs

Reds 13, Mariners 9

The Reds earned the right play in finals! In one of the most dramatic and well played games of the year, the Reds, behind the pitching of Stephan Tran were able to come back and defeat the Mariners despite a great pitching performance by Jen Stewart. Both pitchers went the distance in the contest that ended with the Reds on top 13-9.

The Mariners jumped out early, scoring seven runs with key hits by Christina Wilson, Alexa Brown, Nikki Sirignano and Jackie Duffy over the first three innings. After that, Tran settled down and the Reds offense got on track. Alexa Derian, Cali Pepper and Sara Pudvelus reached base three times and each scored two runs. Kristen Esdale picked up another RBI with a key single in the fifth to tie the game after the Mariners had pulled.

In the top of the fifth, Bea Banda and Krystal Moran

pushed across the two runs to temporarily regain the lead. In the bottom of the fifth, with the Mariners leading by two, the Reds managed to scrape together six runs to catch and pass the Mariners as 11 girls batted in the inning. Rachel Grabar hit a three-run triple to highlight the scoring.

Also collecting hits in the key inning for the Reds were Gabby Polcari, Meghan Howland (who was on base every time she went to the plate), Jackie Adams and Kelly Gormly. The Reds were anchored by excellent defense in the later innings. Kelly Cassidy caught a great game; Lisa Marie DiOrio threw out three runners playing shortstop and Kelly Duffy made a nice catch at second for the final out of the game.

Cubs Defeat Padres 7-6

It was like the girls college world series down at Glen Road Park last Friday night with the Rotary Park Cubs versus the

Rocco's Restaurant Padres in a pitching duel that went into extra innings to decide the winner. Emily Crannell had 14 strike outs for the Cubs while here counterpart Ashley White had 13 strike outs for the Padres.

Both pitchers only let up only two hits apiece while some of the defensive play in the field was superb. While Maggie Brown got two hits for the Padres and Emily Schuh one hit. Ashley Michals, Jackie Parece and Cassy Lee scored runs for the Padres. While on defense for the Padres Delany Gillis, Carly Gills, Kelly Valetta, Sabrina Mirabella, Marianne Tassone, Kate MacDougall and Lauren Sullivan played a solid game.

For the Cubs Gillian Hery hit a bases loaded triple to tie the game in the sixth inning. And Emily Crannell's hit in the bottom of the seventh tied the game again. While the most exiting play of the game was

Alex Gemallaro slide into home plate for the winning run making it 7-6 in favor of the Cubs. On defense Fiona Gately played a solid third base and Casey Browne, Catlin McDonough, Nicole Lunt, Casey Herra, Miranda Faison, Nikki Botelho and Laura Magee played an out standing defense for the Cubs.

Cubs Defeat Reds 22-6

It was the beginning of the playoff finals the Rotary Park Cubs against the Reds in a best two out three series down at Glenn Road. The weather was hot and so where the Cubs bats with Emily Crannell, Fiona Gately, Casey Browne, Gillian Hery, Catlin McDonough, Julia Carter all having multiple hits.

While on defense the Cubs Casey Herra, Emma Howland, Nikki Botelho and Laura Magee were all great in the field. While Casey Browne pitched a solid game for the Cubs keep the Reds off track. The Reds were led by the pitching of

Rachel Grabar with hits from Stephanie Tran, Callie Pepper and Kelly Gormley, with runs scored by Kelly Duffy, Lisa Diorio, Megan Howland and Kristen Esdale. While on defensive side of field the Reds were led by Alex Derrian, Jackie Adams, Sara Pudvelas and Kelly Cassidy. The Cubs won this one 22-6.

Cubs wins finals

Emily Crannell struck out nine Reds batters in four innings and led the Cubs to their 2nd victory to win the playoffs. Solid defense by Casey Brown, Caitlin McDonough, Gillian Hery and Fiona Gately contributed to the other outs in the shortened game. Nicole Lunt and Nikki Botelho reached base each time they batted. While Casey Herra, Julia Carter, Laura Magee and Emma Howland all contributed to the Cubs win 16-1. Stephanie Tran pitched really well and Cali Pepper allowed only one run in her inning of relief work.

The offense was stifled but Cali Pepper managed to score the Reds run stealing three bases including home. Kelly Gormley, Kristen Esdale, Kelly Duffy and Gabby Polcari played strong defense. Meghan Howland made a nice catch in left field, Kelly Cassidy caught a great game behind the plate and Rachel Grabar played a strong shortstop. Lisa Marie DiOrio threw out a runner on a hard shot to third base. Sara Pudvelas made a great relay throw from center field to cut short one of the early rallies. Alex Derrian was solid in the field as well.

The girls had a lot of fun this season, learned a lot about the game and they are looking forward to year! Thanks to the coaches and parents for helping make this a great season.

Merrimack Valley Umpires Association announces its dates for future umpire clinics

The Merrimack Valley Umpires Association (MVUA) announced today that the umpiring clinic for adult men, women, and teenagers (over 16) who want to be trained as certified (patched) baseball umpires, is scheduled to begin on Thursday, July 13th 2006 and

continue on consecutive Thursday's for the next seven weeks. The official umpire's exam will be administered at the end of the seven week class.

The clinics will be held from 6:30 P.M. - 9 P.M. at St. Mary of the Assumption School in Lawrence, Mass (301 Haverhill

Street, Lawrence, Mass) The cost for the seven-week program is \$100. Anyone interested is urged to contact 2nd Vice President John Silva ((978) 462-4599) Rules Interpreter Ron Annand ((978) 681-8927 or go to WWW.MVUA.ORG.

The MVUA provides umpires


to all levels of baseball from college, AAU, Babe Ruth to Little League in Mass and New Hampshire. The MVUA has been providing quality umpires to this area for over 50 years and is the oldest umpiring organization in Mass.

This year the MVUA has

taken steps to ensure that anyone who wants to be an umpire and attends the clinics, but due to language or learning difficulties may have trouble with the written exam, will be assisted as much as possible.

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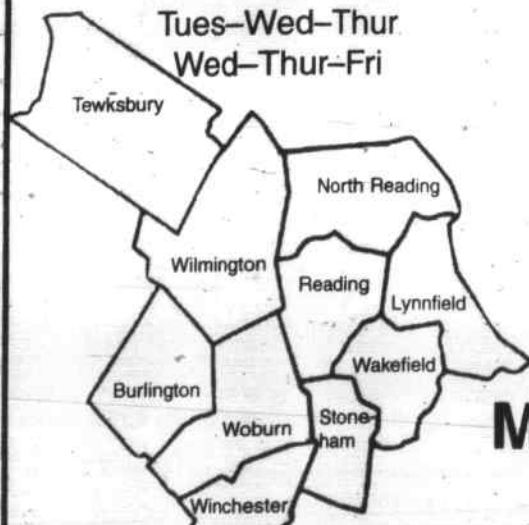
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OBITUARIES

Christine C. Gum

Enjoyed "RV"ing with her husband

WILMINGTON - Christine C. (MacKinnon) Gum, age 91 years, in Tewksbury, formerly of Wilmington, died on June 30, 2006, at the Blair House in Tewksbury.

Mrs. Gum was born on Thursday, October 15, 1914, in Boston, the daughter of the late Peter MacKinnon and the late Mary (MacMillan) MacKinnon. She had lived in Wilmington for 40 years where she enjoyed crocheting, cooking, traveling by RV with her beloved late husband "Bud", playing cards and watching birds and animals.

Mrs. Gum was the beloved wife of the late Carlus "Bud" Gum; and is survived by her children Donna Roberts and her husband Reg of Wilmington, Jim Gum of Wilmington and Joan Nicoll and her husband Richard of North Port, FL; her grandchildren Bryan Nicoll of Monson, Timothy Nicoll and his wife Tracy of CO, Sabrina Gum of Andover and Adam Roberts of Wilmington; her great granddaughter Heather Nicoll of CO and her great grandson Christian Nicoll of CO. Mrs. Gum was also the sister of the late Charles MacKinnon of Wilmington, the late Malcolm MacKinnon of CA, the late Mary Dickinson of CA, the late

Jean Hill of Wilmington, the late Donald MacKinnon of Boston and the late Edgar



MacKinnon of Boston.

Her funeral service will be held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main St. (Rt. 38), Wilmington, on Thursday morning, July 6, 2006 at 11:00. Interment will follow in the family lot Wildwood Cemetery, in Wilmington. Relatives and Friends are invited to attend visiting hours on Wednesday, July 5, 2006 from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Memorial donations in her name may be made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, 173 Church Street, Wilmington, MA 01887. For Guestbook and Information please visit www.cavfh.com.

William J. Metcalf

Technician for Vinyl Tech; 49

TEWKSBURY - William J. Metcalf, age 49, a lifelong Tewksbury resident, died Thursday evening, June 29, 2006, at Saints Memorial Medical Center in Lowell, following a brief illness.

He was born in Melrose, MA, a son of Alvan and Helen (Joyce) Metcalf of Tewksbury, and lived his entire life in Tewksbury. He graduated from Shawsheen Valley Technical High School in Billerica.

He was employed as an installation and service technician for Vinyl Technologies in Fitchburg.

Mr. Metcalf was a member of the New England Barbecue Society, and held numerous trophy's for BBQ excellence in competitions throughout New England.

Besides his parents, he is survived by two sons, "C.J." Clifford Joyce Metcalf of Tewksbury and Derrick Jutras of Fla; a brother, Douglas Metcalf of Tewksbury; and several aunts uncles and cousins. He was also brother of the late

Jayne Owens.

A Memorial Service will be held Friday, July 7, at 1:00 p.m.



in the Tewksbury Funeral Home, corner of Dewey and Main Sts. (Rte 38) Tewksbury Center, phone (800 or 978) 851-2950. Interment will follow at Tewksbury Cemetery. At his request, visiting hours are omitted. www.tewksburyfuneralhome.com

Local students graduate from Stonehill College

Easton, Ma - June 26, 2006 - The following local students have recently graduated from Stonehill College:

Christina M. DeSimone of Wilmington, has graduated with a Master's Degree and Keri A. Terranova of Wilmington, has also graduated

with a Master's Degree.

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



CONSERVATION COMMISSION

PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held in Town Hall, Room 9, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA 01887, on Wednesday, July 12, 2006, at 7:30 p.m. in compliance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chap. 131, Section 40, and 310 C.M.R. 10.00 on a Notice of Intent, filed by Sergio Coviello, 55 Spruce Road, North Reading, MA 01864, owner & applicant. The applicant proposes to construct a single-family home within the 100-foot buffer zone of Bordered Vegetated Wetlands as designated by the MA Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. Chapter 131, Sect. 40 and 310 CMR 10.00. This property is located on Assessor's Map 97 Parcel 34A, 317 Salem Street, (Lot B1), Wilmington, MA, 01887. A copy of the plan is on file at the Planning & Conservation Department, Room 6, Wilmington Town Hall, and may be inspected between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Judy Waterhouse, Chair
Conservation Commission
07.05.06 5269

7.5.06 Stan Folta
5272 Chairman

Fishing Derby at Martin's Pond Saturday, July 8th

The Wildside Bass Club, Mass B.A.S.S. Federation and Martins Pond Association present the 9th annual Martins Pond Children's Fishing Derby on Saturday, July 8th from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Clarke Park on Burroughs Road in North Reading. Burroughs Road is directly across from the Shaw's Plaza on Rt. 28. The fishing derby is held rain or shine.

The event is free and includes trophies, prizes, and lunch for participants 16 and under. Trophies and prizes are awarded for winners of age classes by weight. A trophy is presented for Best Catch of the Day from all classes - one prize per person.

The first 75 registrants will be given free embroidered Martins Pond hats. The hats were donated by Wildside Bass Club and Mass. B.A.S.S. Federation. Wildside Bass Club members will gladly help children learn how to bait, cast, handle the fish and remove hooks. They will run and judge the derby.

This derby is one way they promote sport fishing by introducing this fun activity to kids. They have many years of knowledge and experience to

share along with stories about the big one that got away.

Kids must register between 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. to be eligible for trophies and prizes. Kids may fish from the shore, bridges or docks with owner's permission - no boats. To be eligible for a prize, fish must be caught and weighed after 8 a.m. As soon as a fish is caught, have it weighed - dead fish do not count. After being weighed, the fish will be released back into the pond. Bring your own rod, bait and bucket.

Please do not drive boats to the park or near the children fishing during derby hours.

Proud contributors to this year's derby are Malcolm Pirnie Inc., Environmental Engineers of Wakefield, MA, The Savings Bank, Winter Hill Savings Bank, Century 21 Spindler & O'Neil - Valerie Shaw, Croswell Funeral Home, Market Basket, Reading Municipal Light, Shaw's, Stop & Shop and Northeast Refrigeration. This event will take place rain or shine. For more information, visit www.martinspond.org or call 978-664-1776.

LEGAL NOTICE

The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
MIDDLESEX Division
Docket No. 96P3259 G13

In the Matter Of Joanne Muese
OF TEWKSBURY
In the County of MIDDLESEX

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN OF MENTALLY ILL PERSON

To Joanne Muese of Tewksbury in the County of MIDDLESEX, and her heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said JOANNE MUESE OF TEWKSBURY in the County of MIDDLESEX is a mentally ill person and praying that RICHARD BEVINS of ANDOVER in the County of ESSEX be appointed guardian, to serve without surety of the person.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said court at Cambridge on or before ten o'clock in the forenoon (10:00 AM) on July 28, 2006.

WITNESS, HON. Robert W. Langlois, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CAMBRIDGE this day, June 23, 2006.

John R. Buonomo
Register of Probate
5271 07.05.06

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



A public hearing will be held at the Town Hall, 121 Glen Road on July 17, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. on the following applications:

Case 29-06 Robert W. Kelly Map 41 Parcel 30A

To acquire a Special Permit in accordance with §6.1.6.4 to alter a nonconforming structure (construct an addition and deck 16.1 feet from the side yard lot line when 20 feet is required) for property located, on 91 Beacon Street.

Case 30-06 James M. & Debra M. Capozzi Map 36 Parcel 23

To acquire a variance from Standard Dimensional Regulations (Table II) §5.2.4 to construct a second floor addition 33.5 feet from the front yard lot line when 40 feet is required and 17.9 feet from the side yard lot line when 20 feet is required for property located on 20 Jere Road.

Case 31-06 Clearview Sunroom & Window Map 81 Parcel 4

To acquire a Special Permit in accordance with §6.1.6.4 to alter a nonconforming structure (to construct a sunroom 12 feet from the side yard lot line when 20 feet is required) for property located on 301 Salem Street.

20-06 Wilmington Main Rlty Ltd Pnshp Map 43 Parcel 4

To acquire a Special Permit in accordance with §6.6.7 - Ground Water Protection District to redevelop the existing facility into a multi-tenant retail development for property located on 271 Main Street.

06.28.06, 07.05.06 5260

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



CONSERVATION COMMISSION

PUBLIC MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held in Town Hall, Room 9, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA 01887, on Wednesday, July 12, 2006, at 8:00 p.m. in compliance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chap 131, Section 40, and 310 C.M.R. 10.00 on a Notice of Intent, filed by Jeffrey Coffman, Wilmington Main Realty Limited Partnership, c/o Coffman Realty, Inc. 1300 Belmont Street, Brockton, MA 02301-4439, applicant; CJ Patti, CM Realty Trust, 618 North Avenue, Wakefield, MA 01880, owner. The applicant proposes to redevelop the property into a 74,079 s.f. retail and commercial plaza, improve drainage and increase infiltration. A portion of the work is within the 100-foot buffer zone of Bordered Vegetated Wetlands as designated by the MA Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. Chapter 131, Sect. 40 and 310 CMR 10.00. This property is located on Assessor's Map 43 Parcel 4, 271 Main Street, Wilmington, MA. 01887 A copy of the plan is on file at the Planning & Conservation Department, Room 6, Wilmington Town Hall, and may be inspected between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Judy Waterhouse, Chair
Conservation Commission
07.05.06 5266

LEGAL NOTICE



TOWN OF WILMINGTON PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on July 18, 2006 at 7:45 p.m. at Town Hall, Room 9, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA for Conservation Subdivision Special Permit #06-1 entitled "CSD Sketch Plan in Wilmington, Mass", dated May 30, 2006; submitted on June 2, 2006; by Christ P. Sparages, Professional Engineer, Hayes Engineering, Inc., 603 Salem Street, Wakefield, MA 01880. Said property is accessed from Shawsheen Avenue and shown on Assessor's Map 22 Parcels 2 & 3. This application is for a special permit for a conservation subdivision plan which contains nine (9) lots. A copy of the site plan is on file at the Planning & Conservation Department and may be inspected during the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Any person interested, or wishing to be heard on the proposed plan, should appear at the time and place designated.

Michael Sorrentino, Chair
Wilmington Planning Board
6.28.06, 7.5.06 5257

Assumption College graduates five local area students

WORCESTER, MA - The following students recently graduated from Assumption College at the 89th Commencement Exercises that were held on May 13, 2006.

Lindsey L. Cabral, Cum Laude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cabral of Tewksbury.

Meghan L. Harriman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Harriman of Tewksbury.

Lyndsey A. Kelley, daughter of Ms. Sharon Kelly of Wilmington and Mr. Ronald Kelly of Wilmington.

Matthew T. McGinnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McGinnis

of Tewksbury.

Nicole M. Silva, Magna Cum Laude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Silva of Wilmington.

Assumption College, founded in 1904 by the Augustinians of the Assumption, offers a Catholic, liberal arts and sciences education 2,000 undergraduates along with programs for graduate and continuing education students. As members of a thriving intellectual, social and spiritual community, students, faculty and staff collaborate to pursue the broadest questions at the deepest levels.

LEGAL NOTICE

Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
Division of Wetlands and Waterways
205B Lowell Street Wilmington,
Massachusetts 01887
978 694-3200

PUBLIC NOTICE

An Application for 401 Water Quality Certification is pending before the Department of Environmental Protection for capping of approximately 14,344 square feet of contaminated Bordered Vegetated Wetlands and 440 linear feet of Bank located adjacent to all Environmental Protection Agency EPA Superfund Site. In addition, approximately 12,626 square feet of a Federal jurisdictional Isolated Vegetated Wetland within an abandoned gravel pit and pig manure stockpiling area will also be filled. Replication for these impacts will consist of the construction of a 71,648 square foot replication area located on the subject parcel.

The Applicant is Perkins Development Trust. Property owners are Perkins Development Trust and Sonja M. Berg. The location of the project is South Street in Tewksbury, Massachusetts. Additional information may be obtained by contacting James G. Bolduc of Wetlands Preservation, Inc. 47 Newton Road, Plaistow, New Hampshire 03865, Telephone (603) 382-3435.

Written comments should be sent to DEP Northeast Regional Office, Division of Wetlands and Waterways, 205B Lowell Street in Wilmington, Massachusetts within twenty-one days of this notice.

Any group of ten persons, any aggrieved person, or any governmental body or private organization with a mandate to protect the environment who submits written comments may appeal the Department's Certification. Failure to submit written comments before the end of the public comment period may result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicator hearing.

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LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



CONSERVATION COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held in Town Hall, Room 9, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA 01887, on Wednesday, July 12, 2006, at 7:40 p.m. in compliance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chap 131, Section 40, and 310 C.M.R. 10.00 on a Notice of Intent, filed by Michael Kettenbach, RMD, Inc., 881 East Street, Tewksbury, MA. 01876 applicant, Michael Kettenbach, Valley Properties Inc., 875 East Street, Tewksbury, MA, 01876, owner. This project is for the re-development of the existing Wilmington Plaza as a retail plaza including changes to drainage and infiltration systems. A portion of the work is within the 100-foot buffer zone of Bordered Vegetated Wetlands as designated by the MA Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. Chapter 131, Sect. 40 and 310 CMR 10.00. This property is located on Assessor's Map 43 Parcels 5 & 6, 240 Main Street, Wilmington, MA. 01887. A copy of the plan is on file at the Planning & Conservation Department, Room 6, Wilmington Town Hall, and may be inspected between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Judy Waterhouse,
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07.05.06 5265

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Judy Waterhouse, Chair
Conservation Commission
07.05.06 5268

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The Cain Family (l-r): Steve, Karen, Allison, and Brittany were served lemonade by Wilmington Rotary Club's own George Hooper (with hat) as they passed through the food line on Wilmington Common Wednesday night. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

The Wilmington Fourth of July Committee

Hall of Champions 2006

LADIES TWO MILE

WALK

- 1st Place - Rosanna Ham
- 2nd Place - Paula Sollazzo
- 3rd Place - Shirley Connelly

LITTLE LADIES

DIVISION

- 1st Place - Three Way Tie
- Amanda Boyle, Natalie Medros, Jackie Champoux

HORSESHOES

- 1st Place - Tammy Steeves and Ernie Wallent
- 2nd Place - Dennis Bourrell and Danny Burns
- 3rd Place - Mike Barcellos and Tony Barletta

ROAD RACE

MALE

- 1st Place - Dan Vassalo
- (NEW COURSE RECORD 15:53)
- 2nd Place - Jeff Holcomb
- 3rd Place - Chris Murray

FEMALE

- 1st Place - Suzy Walsh
- 2nd Place - Laura Winn
- 3rd Place - Stephanny Jette

ON 3 BASKETBALL

18 Plus

- 1st Place - Michael Gore, Pete Monfort, Dan Reed, & Mark Williams
- 2nd Place - Dave Aronofsky, Mike Herra, & Mike Jordan

16 to 17

- 1st Place - Matt Bradley, Joe Gore, & Tommy Joyce
- 2nd Place - Nick Duggan, Shawn Fahey, John Olivere, & Mike Thomas

14 to 15

- 1st Place - Scott Bonica, Pat Enwright, & Mike Manganelli
- 2nd Place - Scott Bonish, Jonathan Spurr & Stephan Stewart

12 to 13

- 1st Place - Chris Frissore, Sean Hanley, Jaymie Spears, & John Spears
- 2nd Place - Jimmy Bonish, Cameron Garrant, Nick Godzyk, John Malone, & Andrew Spurr

10 to 11

- 1st Place - Marcus Cole, Justin Mackinnon, Sam Silva, & Marco Zappala
- 2nd Place - Alexandra Derian, Cailin O'Flaherty, & Michelle Woods

HOSPITAL BED RACE

- 1st Place - Out Croud
- John Kluse, Dave Petersante, Rick Shaw, Elizabeth Terzakis, & Lori Viveiros
- 2nd Place - Local Heroes
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FAMILY DAY

EVENTS CHAMPIONS

2006

BABY CRAWL

- 1st Place - Isabella Catalano
- 2nd Place - Victor Villarroel
- 3rd Place - Neil Pal

WIFFLE BALL

15 AND OVER

- 1st Place - Ryan Fahey, Robert McIsaac, Stephen McIsaac, Michael Oliveira, & Dave Reed
- 2nd Place - Irvin Co, Chris Dancoe, Bryan Kelley, & Eric Legro

14 AND UNDER

- 1st Place - Jimmy Bonnish, Stephen Bonish, Nick Godzyk, Andrew Spurr, & Matthew Spurr
- 2nd Place - Ryan Bradley, Robert Cameron, Nick Cirame, & Mark Contrado

MIXED

- 1st Place - Jim Buckley, Matt Elia, Matt Hebelt, & Joe LoGrasso
- 2nd Place - Kevin Eddy, Kyle Eddy, Zach Eddy, & John Pickles

3 LEGGED RACE

- 1st Place - Juliet McFadden & Kathryn McFadden
- 2nd Place - Jackie Parece & Michelle Parece
- 3rd Place - Seema Croudmary & Dharmendra Pal

TUG OF WAR

- 1st Place - Caleish Buckley, Courtney Cavanaugh, Shannan Donnell, Ryan Fischer, Travis Haines, & Molly O'Shea

HULA HOOP CONTEST

- 3 & 4 Year Old - 1st Place - Alyson Goodwin
- 5 & 6 Year Old - 1st Place - Sydney Padulsky
- 7 & 8 Year Old - 1st Place - Kaila Bavin

9 & 10 Year Old

- 1st Place - Michaela Chenevert & Kathryn McFadden
- 11 & 12 Year Old - 1st Place - Zack Frost, Megan MacCorkle, & Scott Newton

SACK RACE

- 1st Place - Scott Madaglia
- 2nd Place - Eric Steeves
- 3rd Place - Marissa Odlum

WATER BALLOON

TOSS

- 1st Place - Paul Capozzi & Tesha Capozzi
- 2nd Place - Oren Colgrove & Sean Colgrove
- 3rd Place - Scott Bonish & Justin Chenevert

BUCKET BRIGADE

- 1st Place - Sarah Turner & Evan Walsh
- 2nd Place - Brad Colegrove & Oren Colgrove
- 3rd Place - Matt Derian & Christian Sanborn

WINNERS OF THE

FREE BIKE RAFFLE

- Morgan Casey
- Matthew Hansen
- Chanel Mickette
- Neil Pal

The Harnden Massacre

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aroused settlers, led by Benjamin Harnden.

Abigail grew up to marry Jonathan Nourse, whose mother had been put to death as a witch in Salem. After his death, she married Daniel Eames and lived in the red farmhouse on Woburn Street opposite Wildwood Street. She had a large family, and anyone named Eames in this country has a good chance of being descended from her.

Her son John, a selectman of Wilmington in the 1750's, inherited the 'Massacre House' and put in there a family of French neutrals who were quartered in Massachusetts by the colonial government.

The diary of Rev. Cotton Mather, the Puritan minister of the Old North Church in Boston, contains an interesting story which would affirm the July 6, 1706 date:

"25d, 4m Tuesday (June 25, 1706) Having been much solicited, by the people of Andover, a town almost thirty miles off, to come and preach a Lecture there, I did this day undertake the journey."

His calash was preserved from upsetting when the bad load brought him into danger.

On the following day he lectured to a great assembly, and after the lecture he returned the greater part of the way homewards.

"There was a singular providence of Heaven over me in my timing of this journey," he wrote. "For immediately upon it, a descent of Indians from Canada, on this very part of the country, rendered the road so unsafe that I durst be no means have traveled it. Yea, being desirous to do some good on the road in the woods, I called some children to me which I met there and bestowed some instruction with a little book upon them; which I understood afterwards made no little impression on the family, but it proved a family which in a few days the Indians visited and murdered the mother and several of the children in it."

This reference was found in a notebook belonging to local historian Capt. Larz Neilson. Immediately below it was written: The Harnden Massacre was on May 12, 1707. There was no information given to substantiate that date.

Capt. Larz pulled the information from an undated clipping found within the Mary Gowing Swain scrapbook, which is part

of the Local History Collection at Wilmington Memorial Library. The undated clipping was of a short article written by Arthur G. Loring, which quoted the diary of Cotton Mather. Apparently when Arthur Loring wrote his article, Mather's diary had just been published.

A story entitled "Wilmington" by Lemuel C. "Cobb" Eames, a descendant of Abigail Harnden Eames, was published in Drake's History of Middlesex County. In it, he wrote:

"In the year 1706, five Indians from a party who had attacked Dunstable ventured down to this town and attacked the family of John Harnden, who occupied a small cottage in the northwesterly part of Reading, now in the limits of Wilmington. The house stood in a pasture some 60 rods south of the road from Samuel Gowing's to the centre of Wilmington. (High Street)

Another date given is August 12, 1707, which is the recorded date of death for Susannah Harnden.

The Harnden family is planning a large reunion in the Wilmington area in August of 2007.

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July 4th FUN Raiser brings in over \$1,800 for Wilmington charities

By ROBERT FIGUCIA

WILMINGTON - Amid the excitement of the July 4th festivities at Wilmington

townsfolk and raise donations to serve the Wilmington community. Many people come to the Fourth of July celebration for years

of Bryant Glass and head of the Shawsheen playground fundraising campaign, helped with planning and took his knocks in the dunk seat to bring in donations. A number of other recognizable town leaders and merchants also volunteered their time including Selectmen Suzanne Sullivan and Michael Newhouse, Pastors Ron Grimley and Chuck Oblom from First Baptist Church, Miles Hall and Russell Kent from the Congregational Church, Deacon Cliff King from St. Thomas Church, and proprietor Frank West of West Realty.

Additional donations to the Shawsheen Playground or Butters Farm can continue to be made through their respective websites at www.shawsheenplayground.com and www.buttersfarm.org.



First Baptist Church volunteers pose in front of the dunk tank, which brought in \$1,841 in donations for town projects.

Courtesy photo

Common, the First Baptist Church sponsored a "Fun" Raiser to bring in donations for two local charities by running a dunk tank and face painting. Participants were given the option to have their donations used to rebuild Shawsheen Playground or to preserve Butters Farm. In all, \$1,841 were raised for the two charities.

Ron Grimly, Sr. Pastor of the First Baptist Church explains, "This project allowed us to use our grounds to offer family friendly activities, connect with the

and don't realize that our church and Christian school are right here on the common. The ability for us to partner with other town institutions and representatives for the fund raiser made for a real win / win situation."

Bob Bryant, owner



Wilmington Selectman Michael Newhouse didn't stay dry very long, as people lined up for a chance to drop him in the drink as Pastor Oblom of the First Baptist Church looks on.

Courtesy photo



Dr. Ernie Wallent put a little muscle into it playing horse shoes behind the 4th of July building on Thursday night.

Photo Maureen Lamoureux

Butters Farm Saved

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Residents held an expectation, but no guarantee; that the town would be repaid through fundraising, state funds, and the eventual re-sale of the property once it had been restored.

"Butters Farm dates back to 1682, and it is vital to our heritage to keep this piece of our past alive, and as always I am happy to work on behalf of the Town of Wilmington," Miceli said.

Rep. Miceli was confident that the Budget Report would be voted in the affirmative by both branches and would land on the Governor's desk as is.

"Once the Conference Committee puts its report out, it would be almost heresy to vote it down," Miceli said. "If there is a sure thing, this is a sure thing."

The tricky part, according to Miceli, may be getting the governor to sign off on it. Should Romney veto the amendment, Miceli feels he has enough support to win an override.

Miceli has also announced that Wilmington will receive more in local aid from the state

than had been expected. When the town set its budget for next year, the town used the House Local Aid number of \$4,763,717. The final number released by the Conference Committee is \$4,787,473, a difference of \$23,756.

According to Miceli, every legislator in the state had set local aid as his/her number-one priority - and the leadership in both branches responded.

"Parents, the employees of Wilmington School department, members of the school committee and Superintendent McAllduff have remained vigilant in their quest for additional funding for the Wilmington School Department," Miceli said. "Education, as always, was one of my top priorities in my meetings with the Speaker of the House and the Chairman of Ways and Means. In order to remain competitive with other countries, we must invest all we can afford in our children's education."

Any questions or comments can be directed to the Office of Representative James R. Miceli at 617-722-2582.



Wilmington's delegation to the 2006 Massachusetts Student Government Day (From left to right) Rich Hersom, Rep. James Miceli, Connor Moroney, Mathew Hackett.

Courtesy photo

Government from the inside

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the other three were defeated. The one that passed involved establishing a study of the effectiveness of the specific hours students spend at school. The three which did not pass were a system of driver's points and insurance discounts based on school grades, a requirement for posting nutrition information on vending machines, and a bill pertaining to insurance surcharges.

Moroney's strongest memory of the event was actually debating the four issues of the day in the House Chamber and listening to the other people do the same. "It really gave me a much better idea of what day to day government is about," recalled Moroney. "It gives you a better faith in government. It was overall very positive and motivating."

Hersom described being moved by the dramatic speech given by Senate President Robert Travaglini. Students also heard speeches from

House Majority Leader Representative John Rogers, Senate Vice-Chair of the Education Committee Edward Augustus Jr. and Education Committee Co-Chair Representative Patricia Haddad. Hersom was particularly impressed with Haddad and her words to the students.

"She actually listens to the students. I got the impression she really cares," recalled Hersom. His participation in the 2006 Student Government Day was an intensely valuable experience for Hersom as he plans to study law and politics in college and pursue a career in government.

Representative Haddad commented, "It's a delight to see students in our Statehouse for a first-hand look at how our government works. I hope that they find it fascinating and continue to be civically engaged citizens of the Commonwealth."

Education Commissioner David P. Driscoll stated, "This is an exciting event every year

and it is certainly rewarding for all parties involved. There is no better way to learn than by doing. It's important that our students understand how government works, and having a day to walk in the shoes of our legislators, sit in their chairs and debate their issues is a good first step."

Education Committee Vice-Chair Sen. Edward Augustus noted, "Student Government Day is a tremendous opportunity for young adults from across the state, but it is also a great way for us, as elected officials, to be reminded just how special our jobs are and how lucky we are to serve. It's a win-win situation and, most importantly, it's educational for everyone involved."

Participation in Student Government Day is open to all juniors and seniors. Any students interested in participating in next year's event should contact their teachers when school resumes in the fall.

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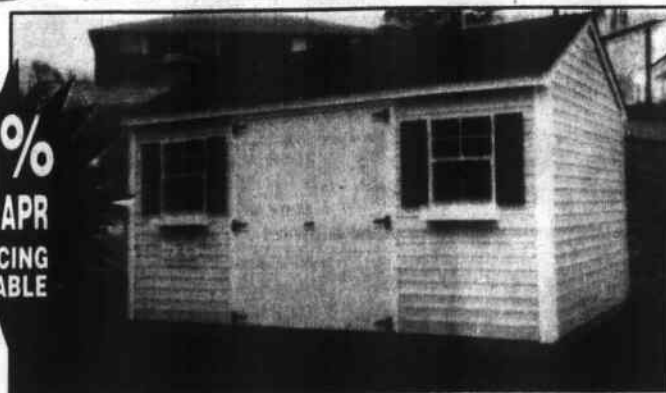
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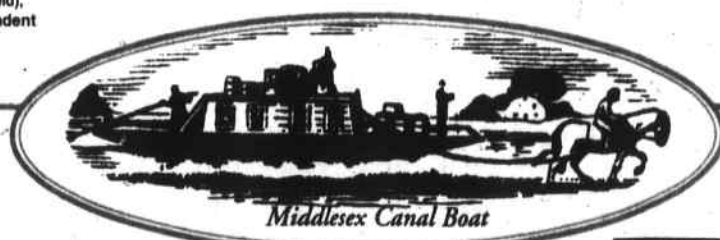
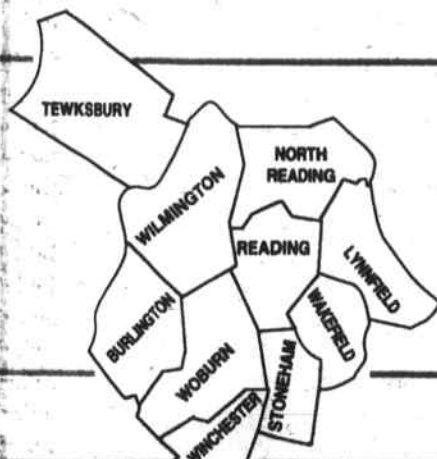
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Martin's Pond

By DOUG WOOD-BOYLE

North Reading's Martins Pond is being hailed as a bass fishing haven but it has taken many years of hard work on the part of the neighbors to reclaim the pond and boost the pride in their neighborhood; that's important for this area that was once primarily summer cottages but now boasts mostly year-round residents who work hard to boost North Reading as a community.

The work started in 1981 when the first Martins Pond Reclamation Study Committee was formed by the Town. However, the group became inactive about 1989 and was not rejuvenated until 1992, when Lida Jenney and Mike Houle renewed their terms of service. Jenney and Janet Nicosia are now the co-chairs of both the Reclamation Committee and the Martins Pond Association.

The work done by the Committee and the Association has been so good that the pond is now the site of three big social events open to the public and act as fundraisers. The Winter Festival is the oldest of these events; the Halloween Haunted Playground and the Summer Festival have been around since 1995.

This was the 13th year of Winter Fest," Nicosia said. "That was the event that started the activities that are going on."

However, this weekend, the Association, along with the Wildside Bass Club will be sponsoring the Ninth Annual Children's Fishing Derby, which started as a part of the Summer Festival. The event is open to all children under 16 years old and will be held on Saturday, July 8, from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. Prizes hats and plenty of fish will be available to catch.

"We had 135 kids participate last year," Nicosia said. "We haven't had rain, so far."

She added, "One young girl caught a 10 pound bass."

According to Nicosia, the partnership with the Wildlife

Bass club started when that group approached the Association about helping to sponsor the contest. They provide a trailer and about 20 more volunteers to join the Association's members.

"We fund some of the things (like food and drinks) and they fund some things (such as prize fishing rods and hats)," Nicosia explained. "It is a fun, free event."

"It helps people to see that this is a nice wildlife area."

For more information on the Fishing Derby go to www.martinspond.org

According to Nicosia, the Association has a nucleus of 15 people with over 50 more people that are available to volunteer for the events and the clean-up days. She noted that the Association has the ability to have as many members as want to join, whereas the Committee is appointed by the Town.

Aside from the social aspects, the Association also partners with the town to do environmental studies of the Pond and to provide a clean safe public recreational area at Clarke Park on the shores of the pond.

The group's first mission was to fix Clarke Park," Nicosia said. "We partnered with the town and we have a great relationship with Brian Wood (director of Parks & Recreation)."

Other partners that have been drawn in to work with the Association and the Committee are Town Engineer Michael Soraghan and Dr. Jon Lyon, co director of Merrimack College's Environmental Science Program. With the help of these people and Malcolm Pirnie Engineers of Wakefield, the group has been able to obtain several large

grants to do a study of the Pond.

Because the Association is a town authorized charity, it was recently able to obtain a \$300 grant, which helped out the town as much as it did Martins Pond. Some of the funding was used to design handicapped ramps that will lead to a new dock area in Clarke Park and other funding went into items such as:

- o A sedimentation study, which identified two outfalls into the watershed that need to be worked on;

- o A beaver management program that will benefit the town, by removing beaver dams that clog up a



culvert along Route 62;

- o Water assessment studies of all the ponds and streams in North Reading; and,

- o Provided an upgrade to the Town's CAD (Computer Aided Design) software.

A published history of Martins Pond states that it was "...formed 11,000 years ago by a glacier, Martins Pond is a 92 acre fresh water pond, nestled in the northwest corner of North Reading, Massachusetts.

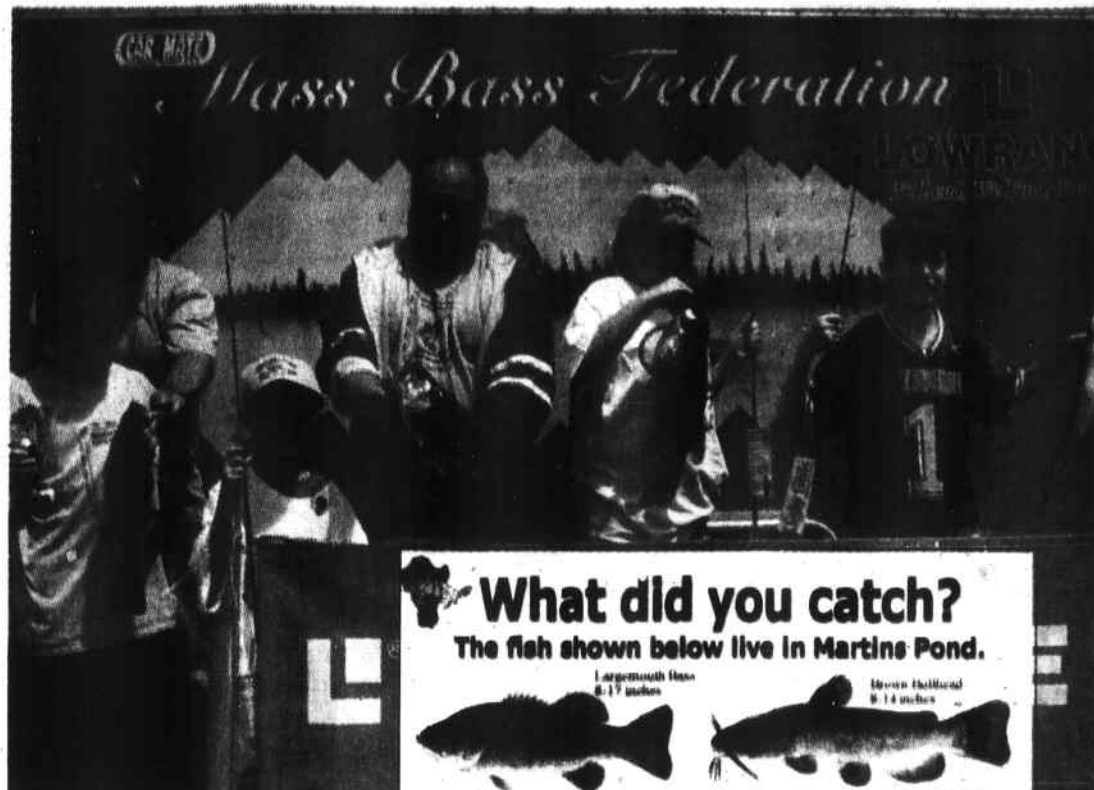
"The pond is approximately 1,950 feet across, east to west; and 3,050 feet long, north to south, with an average depth of less than 5 feet. The deepest point is only 7.25 feet deep (the most recent study that has just been received by the Association shows that it has a deep spot of over eight feet). There is a public beach and

playground on the south side. However, Nicosia notes that because of the silt in the water it does not meet the standards of being an authorized swimming beach, as the view is to low for good visibility underwater.

Public boat access is authorized at the Northeast quadrant of the pond near Main Street just east of the Skug River inlet. The area has a small dirt parking area and an unpaved boat launching ramp.

The pond is eutrophic, phosphorus limited, and has a short retention time (annual average is 18 days). According to the studies it is really a widening of the Skug River that enters it. The pond empties into Martins Brook, which winds its way to the Ipswich River.

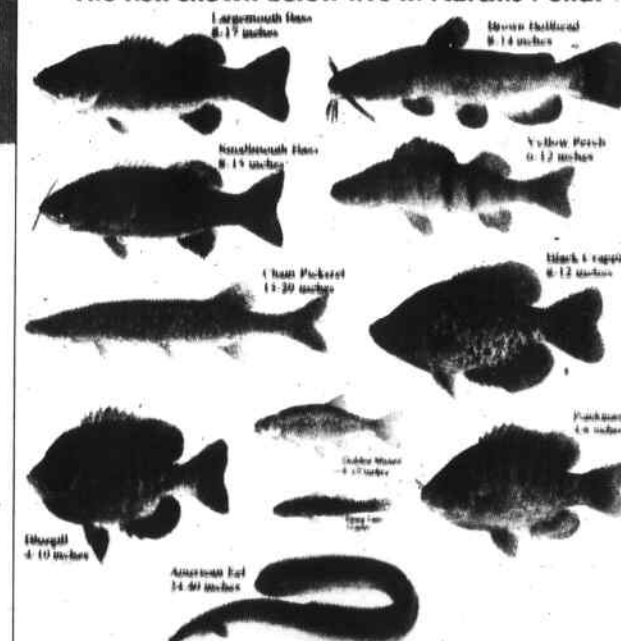
"We love the pond for what it is," Nicosia said. "You see a



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lot of wildlife when you take out canoes or kayaks."

She noted that on any given day anglers are out in boats or casting off the bridges and shore lines. Nicosia added that this activity is good for the pond.

"It is not just a dirty little puddle," Nicosia said.

Because the pond eventually feeds into the Ipswich River, members of the Association

also belong to the Ipswich River Association.

At the 1998 Summer Festival, the Association unveiled the Turtle Trail, which is a walk through the history of Martins Pond. The approximately 650-foot asphalt loop trail mirrors the shape of Martins Pond and is designed to be an interpretive path to enable people to learn the geology and history of the pond

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Movie Reviews

SUPERMAN RETURNS

by Paul Feely



THIS PHOTO, SUPPLIED BY WARNER BROS., shows Brandon Routh in the title role of the new movie, *Superman Returns*. Louise Mingenbach, costume designer for "Superman Returns," which opened in theaters Wednesday, June 28, 2006, thinks Routh looks good in tights. "A lot of effort went into those tights."

(AP Photo/Warner Bros. Pictures, David James)

"SUPERMAN RETURNS"

GRADE: ****

In "Superman Returns," the Man of Steel makes his first appearance in nearly two decades to save the day, the planet, and Hollywood's dwindling box office receipts.

To head this new edition, director Bryan Singer (the first two "X-Men" movies) selected Brandon Routh, a charismatic and almost unknown young actor. Routh, who at times looks eerily like Christopher Reeve on screen,

performs well enough but the true stars of this film are its many special effects gurus and production designers.

Director Singer, who turned down the third "X-Men" to take the helm here, successfully renders the engaging story created by himself and several other credited screenwriters. As advertised, Superman does return from his five year journey in search of any remnants of his home planet and immediately lands in a conflict with arch-nemesis Lex Luthor,

played both menacingly and amusingly by Kevin Spacey, who won his first Oscar working with Singer in "The Usual Suspects."

Singer begins slow, taking his time chronicling Superman's awkward transformation back into his Clark Kent identity. Meanwhile, Luthor assembles what he needs to dominate the planet.

Even after the lines have been drawn, however, the story throws in some unexpected curves. The narrative also

pauses to give the characters enough background to make them fully rounded humans. The palpable personal chemistry between Superman and Lois Lane still hovers near the surface, making their brief encounters sweet, touching, and full of hidden emotion.

The superstar creators of "Superman Returns" are the special effects people who decorate our hero's various adventures. Within these colorful environments, a series of spectacular, elaborate visual creations can be found, from underwater chambers to hide-away crystal caves. Even the more mundane interiors, such as the Daily Planet Art Deco office, show spark and intelligence.

"NACHO LIBRE"

GRADE: *

Nacho Libre, which is co-written by Napoleon Dynamite's Jared Hess as well as Jerusha Hess and School of Rock writer Mike White is an embarrassment.

The movie is amateurish, excruciating to watch, and difficult to believe that men with comic sharp minds such as Hess, White and Jack Black could fall so short of the mark.

The story revolves around Nacho (Black), an orphan with no skills, who is a cook — and a bad one — at the monastery where he was raised.

Nacho wants to earn money to buy better ingredients so he can cook better meals for the orphans and priests — as well as the newly arrived Sister Encarnacion. He decides to become a wrestler.

The movie's jokes basically revolve around Nacho getting beat up in the ring as well as several revolving around flatulence.

The humor is strictly grade

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school. The movie is missing the wit and charm Hess, who directs, created for Napoleon Dynamite and White and Black used in School of Rock.

Black's phony Mexican accent is awful, but maybe that's part of the joke.

Nacho Libre is so bad that it could set U.S.-Mexican relations back 50 years, but it may solve the illegal worker situation as millions begin streaming out of the country to flee this film.

Nacho Libre is a sleeper hold on the careers of all involved.

"AN INCONVENIENT TRUTH"

GRADE: ****

There is a very scary movie in theaters these days, but it has nothing to do with the horror genre

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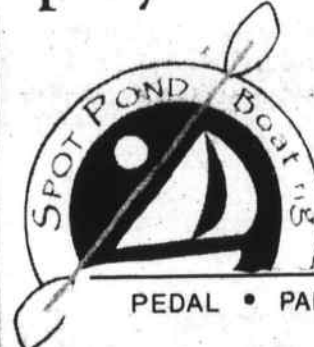
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About the Towns

by Phyllis Nissen

TALK, TALK, AND ACTION

'Lengthy debate' in Lynnfield

"The Zoning Board of Appeals approved the housing project behind the Senior Center at their meeting, after making some small internal changes and a lengthy debate between the developers and project's neighbors," notes the "Lynnfield Villager."

"The developers, Monastiero Consulting Services LLC, will build 48 townhouse units behind the center. The units will primarily be three-bedroom, two-car garage units, with central units having a one-car garage. The units will probably sell around the mid \$700,000 mark.

"The ZBA approved the building footprints as part of the project - the buildings are currently slated for two units each, and if three-unit buildings are necessary, the square footage of the building would not change.

"The project is also approved subject to a final landscape and lighting plan the developers will provide to the board, and subject to the continuing jurisdiction.

"Residents will enter off Salem Street directly adjacent to the current Senior Center entrance. The driveway will continue behind the center, wrapping around the building. The exit driveway will be located just to the left of where the existing parking lot ends. According to Greg Monastiero the developer's principal, it will be controlled access using infrared-activated gates.

"Tom Houston, peer reviewer for the board, said he was in agreement with the developer on most things. His

two concerns were how much the internal roadway should be two-way and the safety and the distance of the exiting roadway.

"At the exit, there is a stopping site distance of 500 feet in one direction and 300 feet in the other direction, which is more than the required 280 feet. However, Houston said it would be optimum if the driveway were designed for intersection site distance, which would require even more distance...."

Service continued in Winchester

"Since 1913, the chief of police position has been under civil service, and there it will stay," notes the Winchester edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"A proposal by the town manager to remove the position from civil service under Article 8 failed at Town Meeting.

"The motion was opposed by retiring Police Chief Joseph Perritano, by the Winchester Superior Officer Association, the Winchester Patrolman Association, and three former selectmen.

"The only voice raised in support was that of the chairman of the current Board of Selectmen, which voted 4-1 to support the article.

"Town Manager Mel Kleckner explained that he brought the article forward to adapt to changing times and circumstances and to have more flexibility with hiring and accountability in the chief of police position. The chief's position is the only management employee of the town under civil ser-

vice.

"Kleckner spoke about the importance of the position, the extensive scope of the chief's authority, and how civil service limits the pool of applicants and exposes the town to possible costly and time-consuming appeals.

"If the article passed, he said, he would choose the next chief from the department and follow a rigorous and competitive process. He added that there would be reasonable job protection included in the employment agreement.

"Chief Perritano made several arguments against the motion, focusing on the possibility of political influence and of short terms for police chiefs not under civil service.

"He said it was common in towns where chiefs were not under civil service that the chiefs have a short term in office. To be effective, to build teams and foster lasting partnerships in the community, he said, the police need continuity with their chief...."

Heavy trafficking in the area

"According to a report given to a recent meeting of the I-93/I-95 Interchange Transportation Study Task Force, if no changes take place at the state's busiest intersection, then the increase in expected traffic in the area will cause even more congestion and more traffic hazards," notes the Reading edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"Sudhir Mirthy, a consultant to the Task Force reported in a printed statement, 'In the next 20 years, traffic in the interchange is projected to increase by about 80,000 total vehicles per day, an overall growth of roughly 20

percent. Of note is that traffic increases will be greater on I-93 northbound and Rte. 128 southbound than on the other segments.'

"Mirthy's model showed that the estimated traffic increases are based on growth and development in the area off of I-93 north of I-95 (Route 128). He is predicting a socio-economic increase in communities such as Reading, Woburn, Wilmington and points north, based on estimates being developed by local officials in those communities.

"According to the report, this will mean '...that traffic south of the interchange heading east will increase significantly and that traffic on Rte. 128 southbound to I-93 northbound will increase by 23 percent. Traffic on local streets will grow as much as 30 percent on cut-through routes such as Route 38, Route 129, Montvale Avenue, West Street, and Washington Street, in part due to drivers avoiding the congestion on the interstate system.

"Mirthy demonstrated how Option 1 (removal of the NW quadrant loop ramp to eliminate the Rte. 128 weave at I-93) would operate. The simulation showed that the southbound weave on Route 128 causes a series of back-ups that cascade around the cloverleaf in both morning and afternoon. The options discussed remove the southbound weave and keep traffic moving...."

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Middlesex Community Phi Theta Kappa

Each spring, the Alpha Delta Omicron chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, the national honor society for two-year colleges, conducts ceremonies to initiate students who have maintained a 3.70 or higher grade point average.

In order to be considered for initiation, students must have completed 24 credits at the college.

The following students attend Middlesex Community College and they were recently initiated into Phi Theta Kappa:

- Kurt Anderson, of Wilmington;
- Mary Jo Chodol, of Wilmington;
- Cheryl Gustafson, of Wilmington, and;
- Donald Leiskau, of Wilmington.

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	July 10th - July 14th	Mon-Fri	8 am - 2 pm
	July 17th - July 21st	Mon-Fri	8 am - 2 pm
	July 24th - July 28th	Mon-Fri	8 am - 2 pm
	July 31st - Aug 4th	Mon-Fri	8 am - 2 pm
August	Aug 7th - Aug 11th	Mon-Fri	8 am - 2 pm
	Aug 14th - Aug 18th	Mon-Fri	8 am - 2 pm
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School Notes

by Phyllis Nissen

TUNED IN AND READY TO PLAY

Once upon a time (Woburn)

"He boomed as Darth Vader's voice in 'Star Wars,' but that dimmed to hearing James Earl Jones read live at the Woburn Public Library," notes the Woburn edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"The veteran actor and Verizon spokesperson visited the library. The event sold out three minutes after tickets went on sale."

"We're very happy with the turnout," said Charlie A. Chivakos of Verizon.

"After being introduced by the library's Kathy O'Doherty, Jones stood in front of the large crowd of children and parents."

"I'm really tickled to meet all of you," said Jones. "I heard you were very smart. Anyone in a library is smart. Reading is how you get there."

"In his famously powerful voice, Jones read to a crowd of over 100 ticketholders, choosing the 'fractured' fairytale, 'The True Story of the Three Little Pigs....'"

Data central in Wakefield

"Wakefield Public Schools is in the first year of the process of establishing a real-time district-wide database which is aimed at increasing the collection and dissemination of data to achieve higher levels of

accountability and achievement," notes the Wakefield edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"The ultimate vision for the system is to provide administrators with better tools to make quicker data-driven decisions by providing them with real-time graphs and reports."

"The new system collects staff and student information in one location."

"This initial phase of this system was implemented during the summer of 2005 and will continue to be updated for the next three to four years with more data and enhanced features."

"The ultimate goal is that this core system will feed other electronic systems for special education data, library automation, cafeteria service and computer access."

"The system is capable of housing data for students' MCAS, standardized test scores, success plans, alumni status, career plans, college applications, enrollment, transportation, homework, quizzes, assignments, attendance, schedules, discipline, activities, health activity, illnesses, immunizations, medications, medical tests and biographical data."

"The system will also contain staff certifications, attendance, bargaining unit contracts, procedures, professional development points, compensation, discipline, reviews and biographical information. The first year we are concentrating on just getting the information out of older systems into this new system."

"In addition, we are streamlining procedures for attendance, agency reporting, health care and scheduling. As this year evolves, we have been increasing the amount of information stored."

"The school system will likely need three to four years before the district utilizes the system to its full potential."

"The district will begin a pilot program that will allow a group of parents electronic access to their child's grades, attendance, progress reports, home work, discipline, schedule and biographical information...."

Perhaps you've heard (Reading)

"It's not uncommon to hear guitar chords echoing through the halls of RMHS on Wednesday afternoons," notes the Reading edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"These soulful melodies come from a group of students who call themselves the guitar appreciation club."

"I like music, so I come," said one member.

"Guitar enthusiasts ranging from skillful veterans to beginning players meet every

Wednesday in room A-324. The club consists of about fifteen to sixteen members that come every so often, but there are seven or eight musicians that show up weekly to play guitar and have a good time."

"There is a great guitar fan base at the high school, as many students either play in a band or play on their own. Eventually a place where these people could come together and share their passion was inevitable. The guitar appreciation club was thought up a while ago, but it never really got off the ground until this year. 'I had been planning the club for a while,' said member and co-founder Mike Blewitt."

"Before the guitar appreciation club could officially become one of the many clubs at RMHS, an advisor was needed. Luckily, English teacher and fellow guitar player Mr. White bravely stepped forward. 'They approached me and I said I'd be the advisor,' explained Mr. White."

"On a typical Wednesday, members of the guitar appreciation club share both music and their thoughts about the guitar. They teach each other different skills they have developed during their time playing, and they discuss different methods of technique."

"We jam, work on chord progressions, work on technique, and just talk about guitar," said Mike...."

TREE-CARE ADVICE IN PRUNING GUIDE

Those who care about trees will find advice on pruning and related topics in the National Arbor Day Foundation's free booklet, "How to Prune Young Shade Trees." From pruning in the early years of a tree's life, to learning how to strengthen trees by removing branches, this illustrated, easy-to-follow guide offers timely and practical tips.

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Other tips in "How to Prune Young Shade Trees" cover the best ways to make a pruning cut, how to prune for form and how to maintain a tree's health by removing trouble spots. It also offers such basic advice as how to hold a pair of pruning shears and make cuts at the proper angle.

For a free copy send your name and address to How To Prune, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE. 68410.

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Athletes & Activities

by Paul Feely

SPORTS SHORTS

***MIDDLESEX EAST SPORTS WEEKLY TRIVIA**
Who did the Red Sox beat in the 1903 World Series? Answer appears elsewhere in this column.

***CAITLIN "CC" COSTELLO OF READING**
finished a fine four-year track and field career at Westfield State by receiving a major award and the college's 2006 athletics banquet. Costello received the Peter Mazza Award, which is given annually to an outstanding student-athlete who best represents the ideals of Peter Mazza, former vice-president of student affairs at Westfield State College. The ideals include: character, leadership, sportsmanship, athletics ability, academics, personal development, and community service.

Costello, the team captain for the past two years, also was named the team's most valuable performer in the field events for the third time in four years. She helped lead the Owls to their ninth straight Mass. State Conference women's track and field championship.

Costello also was an excellent student who graduated summa cum laude (3.80 grade point average or better) from Westfield State College.

***SENIOR ERIC KELLY OF READING** was a key member of the Westfield State men's track and field team that won its ninth

straight New England Alliance championship and its 10th straight Mass. State Conference crown. Westfield has claimed the Mass. State Conference title 23 times in the past 24 years. In addition, Westfield finished fifth in the New England Division III championships for its best finish since 1995.

Kelly earned All New England honors by placing sixth in the 400 hurdles in the New England Division III championships with a time of 56.99. Kelly also won the Mass. State Conference 400 meter hurdles title and was a member of the 4 x 100 and 4 x 400 relays squads that claimed conference crowns.

Need some help on this week's trivia question? This was the first-ever World Series, and the city still has a team now.

***THE NORTH READING BASEBALL SCHOOL** will be conducting its camp during the following one-week session July 10-14. All one week sessions are held from 9 am to 3:30 p.m. daily. Ages 8 to 17 accepted. Tuition is \$178 and includes daily lunch, soda, t-shirt, and cookout. Camp is held at North Reading High School. Call Coach Frank Carey at 781-842-4042 for more information.

Academy International will be teaming up with the **READING GIRLS LACROSSE CLUB** to host a week long lacrosse academy for girls at the Parker Middle School, July 24-28 from 9am to noon. Players of all skill levels are invited to attend this exciting event for ages 7-17. Renowned lacrosse coaches from Australia and Britain will group players by age and skill level to customize training and make playing lacrosse fun. To register visit www.academyinternational.net or call 1-888-529-3827 for further details.

***THE READING RED THUNDER TEAM** received gold medals for their outstanding performance in the top under ten division of the 2006 Massachusetts Soccer Conference Tournament held

recently in Swansea. Girls on the team include: **AMY BENISON, CAROLINE BURKE, EMILY SCHILLE, LINDSEY ARMACOST, ALLIE COOK, SANDRA SCHIPELLITL, BRIDGET CANNON, ELAINA STAYENS, ABBY WILSON, MAEVE CURLEY, DELANEY KASLE, MADISON NOTTKE, JULIA STONE, EMILY VISCONTI, NIKKI CLOVER, MEGAN MCNEILL, JACKIE YANDELL, AND JENNIE MUCCIARONE.**

***ANSWER TO THIS WEEK'S TRIVIA QUESTION:** The Red Sox beat Pittsburgh in the first-ever World Series in 1903. They beat the Giants in 1912, the Phillies in 1915, the Dodgers in 1916, the Cubs in 1918, and the Cardinals in 2004.

***DO YOU KNOW SOMETHING WE DON'T?** If you have information about a local athlete that you would like to see appear in this column, please email it to readingchronicle@comcast.net, or mail it to: Paul Feely, Middlesex East Sports, P.O. Box 240, Reading, Ma., 01867, or call Paul at 781-944-2200 between 7 am and 3:30 pm, Monday through Friday, or fax information at 781-942-0884.

Several local residents have been leading Austin Preparatory School spring sports teams to successful seasons this year. The following local students have been named captains of their teams this season:

BURLINGTON
Ross Gaudet, golf, junior
NORTH READING
Nicole Giuliano, softball, junior
Nick Giordano, track, junior
READING
Natalie Cookson, tennis, junior
Bill McLaughlin, lacrosse, senior
Dan Boyle, golf, senior
TEWKSBURY
Kerry Galvin, track, senior
Evan Patten, lacrosse, senior
WILMINGTON
Alison Audette, track, senior
Evan Guarino, track, senior
WOBURN
Liz Roscillo, tennis, junior

Martin's Pond

from S-1

and its formation 11,000 years ago.

Stenciled turtles with numbers were painted around the trail. Trail guides are available at the mini shelter at the beginning of the trail. The double-sided information board/mini shelter shows an aerial photo of the pond and explains local history and the meaning of a watershed.

The center of the Turtle Trail path filters parking lot runoff so the cleaner water enters the pond. The center is also flooded in winter for safe ice-skating.

The pond committee received a \$4,000 matching grant from the Mass. Dept. of Environmental Management (Lake and Pond Grant Program) to build this. The town's matching share came from the Martins Pond Gift Account (\$2,000) and the Martins Pond Study Committee account (\$2,000).

It is a nice drive to see the pond and it is easy to get to. To access Clarke Park, take Burroughs Road off of Route 28 across from Shaw's Market. The park is located about a quarter of a mile down on your right.

Merchant Marine

from S-3

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Calendar of Events

MARTINS POND HOLDS KIDS FISHING DERBY

The Martin's Pond Association in North Reading will present its 9th annual Children's Fishing Derby this coming Saturday, July 8 from 8 am to 11 am. Martin's Pond is located directly across from Shaw's Plaza on Route 28. The derby is held rain or shine.

The event is free and includes trophies, prizes, and lunch for participants 16 and under. Prizes are based on age class by weight. A trophy is also presented for the best catch of the day for all classes, one prize per person.

Free embroidered Martin's Pond hats will be given to the first 75 registrants donated by the Wildside Bass Club and Mass B.A.S.S. Federation.

Kids must register between 8:00 am and 9:30 to be eligible for prizes. Kids may fish off shore, bridges or docks with owners permission, no boats.

As soon as a fish is caught, have it weighed, dead fish do not count. For more information visit www.martinspond.org.

AN EVENING WITH BIRDS IN NEWBURYPORT

The Parker River Wildlife Refuge with present "An Evening with Birds" on Tuesday, July 25th from 6 to 8 pm at 5 Ocean Avenue parking lot in Newburyport.

Join Sue McGrath of the Newburyport Birders for an introduction to the rich bird life at one of the Northeast's premier birding destinations.

Call 978-465-5753 and press "0" to talk to a staff member on the weather status prior to arrival.

SUBURBAN ADVENTURE CLUB ACTIVITIES

Suburban Adventure Club for ages late 30s to 60s offers 15+ professionally run events per month. Come meet new friends in a fun, casual atmosphere.

Upcoming activities include: outdoor volleyball, Tuesdays, Lake Quannapowitt, Wakefield, 6 p.m. \$5; Castle Hill Picnic Concert with complete picnic dinner, live latin music, Ipswich, Thurs., 7/6 6:30 p.m. \$30; Dinner and Jazz with Wendee Glick, Acton Jazz Cafe, Fri 7/7 7:30 p.m. \$5; S.A.C. Softball game Fox Hill School, Burlington, Sun. 7/9 2 p.m. \$15; White Water Rafting weekend, Kennebec River, Maine, Fri-Sun 7/14-16 3 meals, \$268; and much more.

Contact Meg at Suburban Adventure Club for newsletter/reservations 978-663-9495 or www.SuburbanAdventureClub.com.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IN WAKEFIELD

Registrations are now being accepted for Vacation Bible School to be held at the First Parish Congregational Church of Wakefield, the stone church at the shore of Lake Quannapowitt, Church Street, Monday, July 17 to Friday, July 21 from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

This year's VBS, entitled "Good News Clues-Searching For New Life In Jesus" and based on Revelations 3:20 is open to children ages 5 to 11 (to those who are entering kindergarten and Grade 6 this fall and to all children in between.)

VBS children will search for clues and become detectives engaging in fun games, meaningful activities, bible memory,

cool crafts and creative snacks - all with one purpose - to learn about living each day for Jesus.

A dedicated group of First Parish Sunday School teachers, parents and volunteers will be on hand each day of Vacation Bible School to supervise, teach, help and encourage all those who attend.

Enroll children by calling the church office at 781-245-1539 weekdays before noon. There is a short registration form for each child. Forms are available at the First Parish Church office and at the Wakefield Public Library.

Another option - come see first hand what First Parish is all about. Pick up registration forms Sunday morning at the 9:30 a.m. sanctuary worship service or at the Wednesday evening 7 pm Covell Chapel worship service.

For more details about the VBS curriculum and its daily sessions, Darcy, First Parish's Vacation Bible School Coordinator, can be reached by calling 781-944-2998.

THE 2006 LOWELL QUILT FESTIVAL

The New England Quilt Museum, the only in the region dedicated solely to the study and preservation of American quilt making, proudly presents the 2006 Lowell Quilt Festival, a Citywide Celebration of Quilts, August 3 - 6.

The biennial weekend event pays homage to the ever growing interest in quilt making, and finds its way into nearly every city block of historic downtown Lowell, the birthplace of the modern textile industry in America.

A truly walkable city, Lowell offers a fascinating cultural and historical background to view, learn and appreciate the art of quilting.

The first New England Images quilt show was launched in 1983 at the Topsfield Fair for 12 days. Since then the Auxiliary of The New England Quilt Museum has produced Images (juried quilt show) and its many components.

The 4 day multi-venue event, featuring exhibitions, classes, workshops, lectures, auctions, appraisals, vendors and a variety of special receptions, is almost entirely volunteer run by members of the museum's auxiliary.

At Paul Tsongas Arena, major events include Images 2006, a juried show of nearly 200 quilts, special retrospective exhibitions that focus on quilt-makers Marilyn Belford of New York, who makes stunning realistic portraits, and Suzanne Knopp of Lowell, who has created a number of unique quilts in both the traditional and art styles.

Laura-Cater-Woods presents quilts created in response to Hurricane Katrina. The Art Bras exhibit, organized by The Way to Women's Wellness Foundation, promotes breast cancer awareness through orig-

inal art bras created by women throughout the United States.

PUPPET SHOWPLACE TOT SCHEDULE

The Puppet Showplace Theatre in Brookline Village offers during the summer performances for audiences weekdays, on Wednesday and Thursday at 10:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. Located opposite the Brookline Village T station it is barrier free. Accessible to all children and adults.

Admission is \$9.50 per person (\$7.50 for members). Prepaid reservations are recommended by calling 617-731-6400.

The July schedule is as follows:

Peter Rabbit and Other Tales July 5 and 6 for ages 3 - 7; Sir George and the Dragon July 12 and 13 for ages 3 - 8; The Case of the Missing Woodpile July 19 and 20 for ages 3 - 8; Snow White and Other Tales July 26 and 27 for ages 3 - 8

AUSTIN PREP SCHOOL GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 19th Annual Austin Open Golf Tournament sponsored by Austin Preparatory School in Reading will be held on Monday, July 31 at the Indian Ridge Country Club in Andover.

Proceeds benefit the Chemistry Lab Renovation project. The fee is \$175 per player for morning round (\$160 if paid before July 1), \$195 per player for afternoon round. Greens' fee includes cart, sleeve of balls, use of driving range and clubhouse, breakfast (for morning golfers), lunch, dinner, awards, raffle, auction and a complimentary use of pool and tennis courts for golfers and their families. Morning and afternoon rounds are 7 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Call Austin Prep for details at 781-944-4538.

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES

Allied Rehabilitation Associates offers Summer American Sign Language Classes from July 10 to August 28. The deaf staff provides quality language and deaf culture instruction. There are always small sized classes.

For more details call 781-899-4709.

UMPIRES SET DATE FOR TRAINING PROGRAM

The Merrimack Valley Umpires Association (MVUA) announces that the umpiring clinic for adult men, women and teenagers (over 16) who want to be trained as certified (patched) baseball umpires, is scheduled to begin on Thursday, July 13 and continue on consecutive Thursdays for the next seven weeks. The official

umpire's exam will be administered at the end of the seven week class.

"I am always amazed that even though the MVUA has grown to over 150 members, we still do not have enough umpires to do all the games we are asked to cover," said Steve Martinelli, President of the MVUA.

The clinics will be held from 6:30 - 9 p.m. at St. Mary of the Assumption School in Lawrence (301 Haverhill Street). The cost for the 7 week program is \$100. Anyone interested is urged to contact 2nd Vice President John Silva at 978-462-4599, Rules Interpreter Ron Annand at 978-681-8927 or go to www.mvua.org.

The MVUA provides umpires to all levels of baseball from college, AAU, Babe Ruth to Little League in Mass. and New Hampshire. The MVUA has been providing quality umpires to this area for over 50 years and is the oldest umpiring organization in Mass.

LYMAN ESTATE GUIDED TOURS

Historic New England is pleased to announce that the Lyman Estate Greenhouses in

Waltham now offer guided tours on the first Wednesday of each month.

Visitors to the greenhouse can enjoy a tour with one of Historic New England's plant experts to learn about the historic plant materials, discover the history of the building, and hear about the Lyman family history. The Lyman greenhouse includes some of the oldest greenhouses still in active use in the country.

The 1804 grapery contains grapes grown from cuttings taken in the 1880s from the royal greenhouses at Hampton Court. An 1820 greenhouse shelters 100 year old camellia trees that provide spectacular bloom from November through March.

Guided tours are on the hour from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tours are \$6 and Historic New England members are free. There is ample free parking. The Lyman Estate and Greenhouses are located at 185 Lyman Street in Waltham.

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tion, and Gore walks the stage in front of a massive screen onto which charts, maps, photos and text are projected.

Referring to his presentation as "a nature hike through the Book of Revelation," Gore informs us that 2005 had the highest temperatures ever recorded, and that the 10 hottest years in recorded history happened in the last 14 years.

He contrasts photos of glaciers and ice floes taken decades ago with more recent shots to illustrate their accelerated melting. He says Arctic biologists are finding the bodies of polar bears that have drowned while looking in vain for solid ice upon which they can rest and hunt.

The culprit, Gore insists, is carbon dioxide generated by our fossil fuel-burning lifestyle.

Americans contribute more carbon dioxide to the atmosphere than the rest of the world combined.

Gore's presentation has been so carefully scripted and thoroughly rehearsed that there's hardly a second of spontaneity in it. His message: global warming is real, we're responsible for it, and we can do something about it without ruining the U.S. economy. But we're running out of time.

"CARS"

GRADE: ****

In "Cars," the animation wizards at Pixar imagine an alternate universe where automobiles drive themselves and talk. TV shows are interrupted for "braking news" bulletins, flies are shaped like tiny Volkswagen Bugs and the skies are sometimes streaked fluffy white tire tracks instead of vapor trails from airplanes (and gas also doesn't cost a dime apparently). It's another

amazing achievement for the studio, as the film captures the imagination of children while throwing in some humor for the adults in the room as well.

"Cars" has jokes such as a racing car sponsored by Hostile Takeover Bank, and there's cameo appearances from Tom and Ray Magliozzi, the hosts of National Public Radio's "Car Talk"; it also features some stunning visuals, including a mock Monument Valley, in which all the rock formations are shaped like hubcaps and car hoods, and a nondescript little town that turns into a wonderland of glorious neon after the sun goes down.

This attention to detail and colors makes "Cars" one of the most eye-pleasing computer-animated films to date, and the soundtrack by John Mayer, Rascal Flatts and Sheryl Crow is an added bonus.

Lightning McQueen (Owen Wilson) is a champion racer who has let success go straight

to his head. He soon finds himself stranded in the long-dormant Radiator Springs, where he learns he's going to need some help to get back on the road.

Pixar has created several endearing personalities, including Fillmore, a VW van from the 1960s that advocates using "homemade organic fuel" and speaks in the voice of George Carlin; Sally (Bonnie Hunt), a perky Porsche that gave up life in the fast lane for quieter pleasures; Tow Mater (Larry the Cable Guy), a buck-toothed tow truck that announces he's "happier than a tornado in a trailer park" when he's around Lightning; and Doc (Paul Newman), a battered but still feisty 1951 Hudson Hornet that looks at Lightning with total disdain.

As is typical with a Pixar film, the laughs continue all the way to the movie's last frame. Those who leave early will miss a great salute to veteran

SUDOKU

THE SAMURAI OF PUZZLES By Michael Mepham

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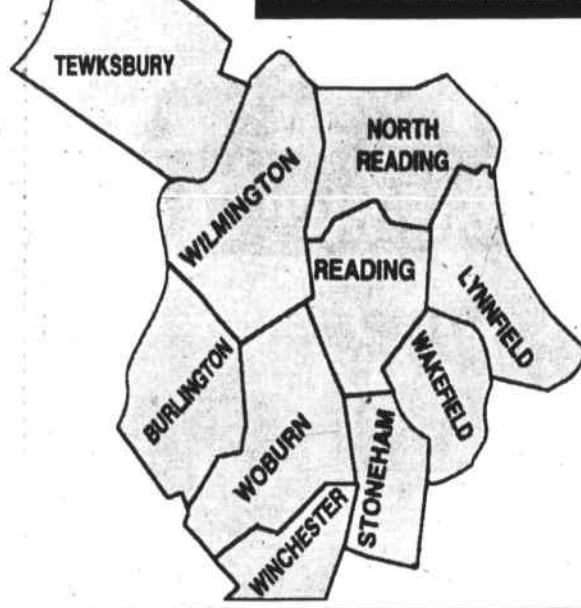
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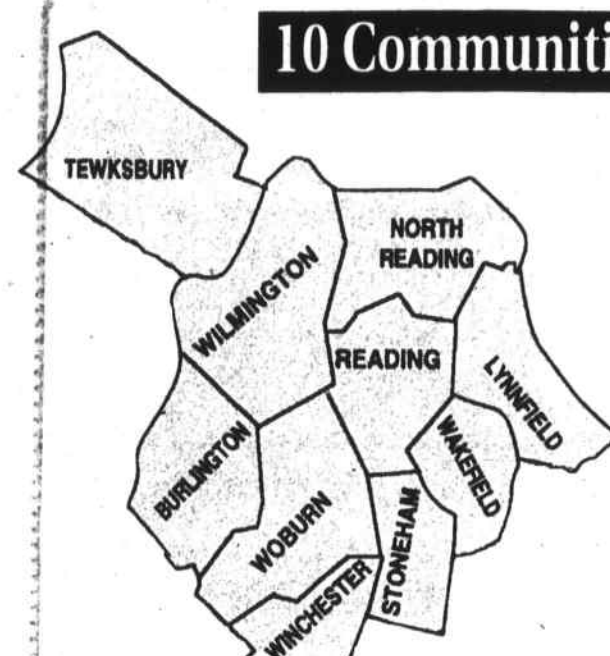
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21 B STREET was sold to AST LLC by KDMS LLC for \$2,631,000.
15 LANTERN LANE was sold to Thomas McDonald by Keenan Patricia Est. and Kathy Lehman for \$362,000.
34 LEXINGTON STREET was sold to McSweeney Co. Inc. by M&C Ft. and Irene Cusimano for \$302,000.
17 MAPLE RIDGE DRIVE U:17 was sold to Karen Linehan by David and Linda Larrick for \$592,500.
77 SOUTH BEDFORD STREET was sold to MA 77 South Bedford Street LLC by 77 South Bedford LLC for \$23,500.
161 WINN STREET was sold to Christine and Kenneth Marsh by Mary McCafferty and Christine Marsh for \$352,800.

-LYNNFIELD-

There are no real estate transactions to report in the Town of Lynnfield this week. See next week's edition of the Middlesex East Supplement for the latest real estate listings out of Lynnfield.

-NORTH READING-

4 ASHWOOD DRIVE was sold to Daniel Bantel and Dante Spetter by C. Johnson-Hungerford and Lionel Hungerford for \$530,000.
8 BRASSIE WAY was sold to Michael O'Keefe by Daniel Blanchard and Daniel MacNichol Balcom for \$372,500.

-READING-

75 GREEN STREET U:4 was sold to Gina Jenei by Green Street Rt. and James DePaolo for \$300,000.
243 MAIN STREET U:407 was sold to Grace Jacobson by Phyllis Toban for \$226,000.
743 MAIN STREET U:3 was sold to Jill Nestor and Justin Gagne by 743 Main Street Rt. and Robert Biggio for \$245,500.
605 SUMMER AVENUE U:133 was sold to Kathleen Devine by Eileen Antl for \$115,000.
77 WAKEFIELD STREET U:B was sold to Jasmine Linlavong and Paul Wilson by Jonathan Seavey and Shirley Foster for \$300,000.
107 WOBURN STREET was sold to High Street LP by True Value Rt. and Mark G. Hall Tr. for \$545,000.

-STONEHAM-

135 FRANKLIN STREET U:103 was sold to Michelle Baciagalupo by Lisa Perno for \$153,000.
122 MAIN STREET U:403 was sold to Christopher Ciulla by James Rowan for \$237,000.
426 MAIN STREET U:104 was sold to Rose Ciampa by Cindiera LLC for \$354,900.
426 MAIN STREET U:501 was sold to Dennis Gain by Cindiera LLC for \$534,900.
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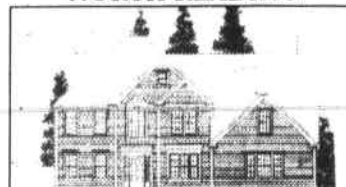
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Nearly 3,000 people perish in house fires every year - more than all other natural disasters combined.

The National Fire Protection Association recently revised its Life Safety Code to require all new one and two family homes constructed in the United States to include a fire sprinkler system.

Tyco Fire and Building Products, a world leader in fire protection technology, recently introduced Rapid Response (www.tyco-rapidresponse.com), the industry's first branded fire sprinkler system designed specifically

for homes.

Roy Marshall, a retired state fire marshal and president of the Residential Fire Safety Institute, says, "In thirty years of fire service, I have never pulled a lifeless body out of a home where fire sprinklers were installed. I urge homeowners to ensure the next home they build has a fire sprinkler system. Your family's safety depends on it."

Still, fire sprinklers fall victim to some common myths.

Myth One: The entire system could go off accidentally and ruin the house. All the sprinklers in a house do not activate at once. Only the sprinklers closest to the fire will activate, and quickly suppress the fire while it is still small. In ninety percent of cases, fires are controlled by a single sprinkler.

Myth Two: Smoking or burning toast could set off the sprinklers. Fire sprinklers are activated by extremely high temperatures, not by smoke. Only a threatening fire can generate enough heat to activate a sprinkler.

Myth Three: The water from the sprinkler system will create more damage than the fire. The average property loss in a fire contained by sprinklers is \$2,200, while the average loss in a home fire without sprinklers is \$45,000.

Myth Four: Smoke detectors are enough fire protection for my home. Smoke detectors are excellent at detecting smoke and alerting homeowners, but they do nothing to suppress a fire like sprinklers can.

Myth Five: Fire sprinklers will ruin the look of my new home. Fire sprinklers are less obtrusive and no more noticeable than light switch plates.

Myth Six: Fire sprinklers are expensive. A home fire sprinkler system costs roughly one to one-and-a-half percent of the cost of building a new home, or less than \$2 per square foot. Systems will often pay for themselves in home insurance discounts over the life of a mortgage, as well.

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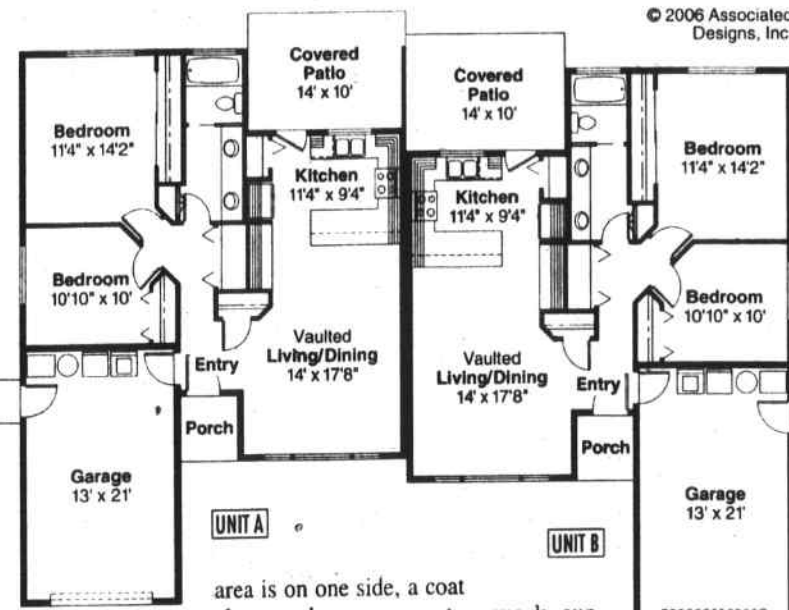
Torrington is a duplex with smart design

By Associated Designs

This home would fit nicely in a beach setting, and has some upscale features not usually found in a duplex. Its owners might enjoy keeping one unit as a vacation retreat for themselves, and renting the other out. The Torrington's cantilevered set back is visually interesting, and its recessed porches are widely separated to enhance the sense of privacy.

Double walls, also known as party walls, provide extra sound buffering between the two units, and an exterior wall separates the covered patios. Bedrooms line up along the outer edges, assuring totally private sleeping environments as well.

A description of one will serve for both, since the units have identical but reversed floor plans. Standing in the entry, the living/dining



area is on one side, a coat closet and passageway to the bedrooms are in front, and direct access to the garage is on the opposite side.

Few duplexes boast a lofty, vaulted living and dining area such as this. The high ceiling creates an expansive sense of openness, with natural illumination during most daylight hours. Plenty of natural light washes in through a wide set of windows up front, plus a smaller dormer window higher up.

In the kitchen the ceiling is flat and lower. An overhead plant shelf and raised eating bar also mark this boundary.

Stove, sink and refrigerator cluster in a tight, step-efficient triangle here, convenient for meal preparation and clean up. Cupboards and

work surfaces are in good supply. Counters wrap around three sides, while a floor-to-ceiling pantry boosts available shelf space.

More storage is found in the hallway to the Torrington's bedrooms and a two-section bathroom. The rear bedroom is slightly larger.

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248 ALBION STREET U:332 was sold to Deana Marzullo by Thomas Anderson for \$350,000.

248 ALBION STREET U:347 was sold to Canonized T. and Barbara Symes Tr. by Wakefield Crossing LLC for \$409,410.

40 BENNETT STREET U:1 was sold to Ann and Jay Schwartz by Scott McIsaac for \$327,000.

63 FORRESTER ROAD was sold to Andrea and Christopher Naper by Levine Ft. and George Levine Tr. for \$399,000.

11 HAWTHORNE STREET was sold to Edward Chaput by Jean Chaput for \$100,000.

57 RICHARDSON STREET U:B was sold to Edmund and Sandra Sheehan by Hilltop NC and Frank White Tr. for \$440,000.

410 SALEM STREET U:1402 was sold to Peter Braid by HP Partners LLC for \$199,259.

410-414 SALEM STREET U:1403 was sold to Yanfen Zheng and Yuxia Liu by HP Partners LLC for \$199,259.

-WILMINGTON-

392 ANDOVER STREET was sold to Hualing Dong and Wen Tang by Dung Hung Tu. for \$420,000.

315 MAIN STREET was sold to 315 Main Street Wilmington LLC by Morris Epstein RET and Leonard Epstein Tr. for \$499,000.

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2 SEQUOIA DRIVE was sold to Javier Horta and Michael Comerford by Northeastern Dev. Corp. for \$539,900.

2 WING ROAD was sold to Nancy and Robert Cassidy by Ira T. Pote and Marie H. Pote for \$582,000.

-WINCHESTER-

9 HARVARD STREET was sold to Thomas Treacy Jr. by Day Dev. LLC for \$572,000.

43 JEFFERSON ROAD was sold to Barbara Jean and Joseph Mirabile by Carole Edstrom and Carole Gillis for \$700,000.

-WOBURN-

36 CAMBRIDGE ROAD U:4 was sold to Claire and Louis Boeri by 36 Cambridge Road Rt. and Joseph Brooks for \$377,000.

88 CAMBRIDGE ROAD was sold to David and Kimberly Diorio by Charles and David Diorio for \$180,000.

1 CHASE STREET was sold to Joseph and Sharon Crispo by Janice McDermott and William McDermott Jr. for \$395,000.

89 HARRISON AVENUE was sold to Jeffery and Laura Temple by Joseph Palmieri and Rosemary Smith for \$365,000.

7 HILLTOP TERRACE was sold to William Rutnam by Eleanor and Luigi Rosatone for \$346,260.

31 LONGWOOD AVENUE was sold to Eleanor and Luigi Rosatone by Deborah and Robert Kaupelis for \$432,000.

33 MONTVALE AVENUE U:10 was sold to Candice Clark by Jennifer Leveille for \$187,000.

16 PENTO ROAD was sold to Walter Soares by ADE Pento Road Rt. and William Scire Tr. for \$490,000.

22 PORTER STREET was sold to Janice Rios and Victor Rios by Jane and Robert Rafferty for \$325,000.

295 SALEM STREET U:68 was sold to Anna and Francis Tobasco by Salem Place LLC for \$399,900.

305 SALEM STREET U:207 was sold to Michelle and Stephanie Casey by Eleonora and Luben Vitcheva for \$355,450.

49 STURGIS STREET was sold to Gyorgy Rubin and Margit Beke by Gregory and Holly Legault for \$330,000.

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From S-10

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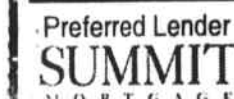
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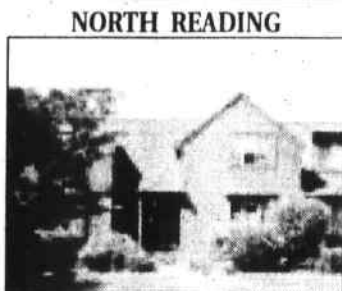


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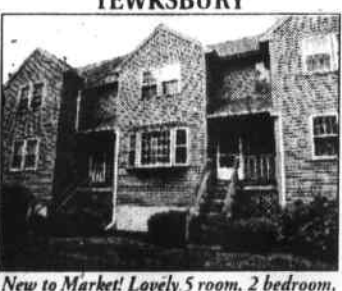
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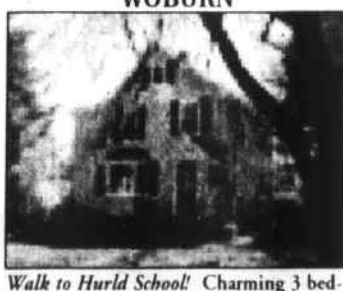
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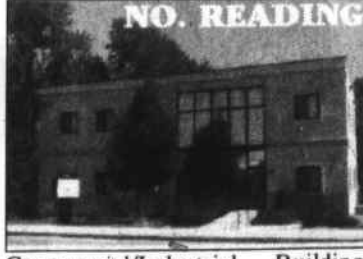
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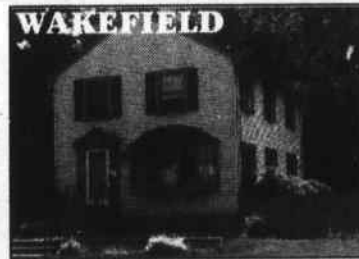
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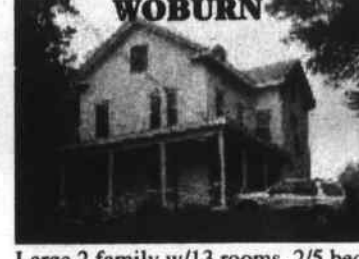
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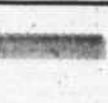
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